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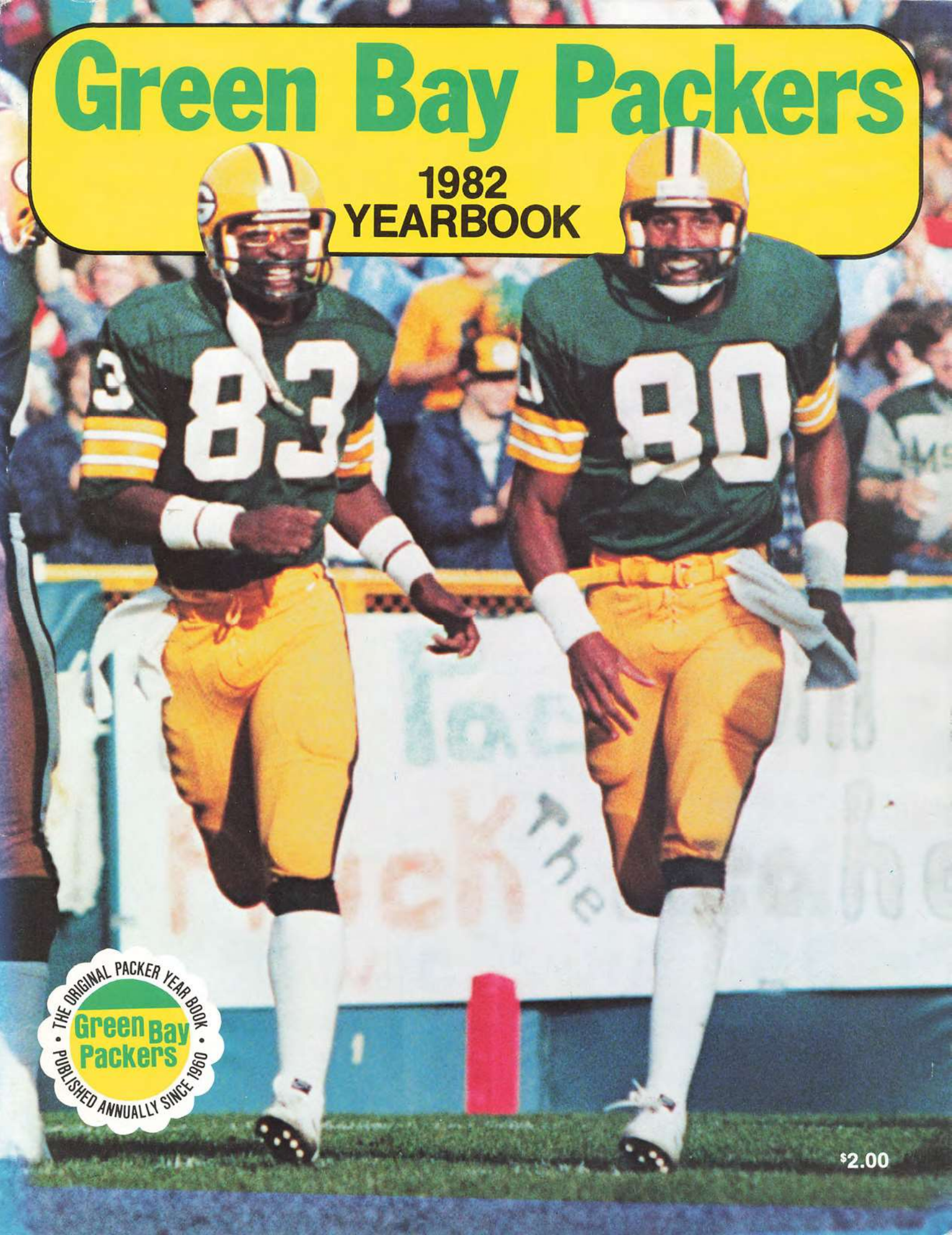

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Packers on Verge of Something BIG

By Art Daley, Green Bay Packer Yearbook Editor

The Packer offense made big strides in 1981. Cumby deliver a "High Five" after stopping

The Packers could be on the verge of something big in 1982.

They surprised the entire National Football League with an amazing comeback in 1981 to actually gain a clear shot at the playoffs.

Left for dead with a 2-6 mark at the halfway point in the season, the Packers stormed back and posted a 6-2 record in the second half to finish at 8-8.

The Packers could have reached the playoffs by winning Game 16 against the New York Jets. But, alas, the Jets prevailed 28-3 and the setback pinpointed the Pack's major injury-helped weakness.

It was a tough loss (and incidentally it was a lot closer than the final score indicates) but it left the Packers with a great feeling about their chances in 1982.

And now it's 1982—the Packers' 64th season in the sport and 62nd in the National Football League.

The Packers' last two games somehow graphically displayed where and why the Packers need improvement to make a successful bid for the playoffs and thus a shot at the Super Bowl.

In the Game 15 in New Orleans, the Packers ripped the Saints 35-7. Quarterback Lynn Dickey relaxed in a rocking chair and threw an amazing record-tying five touchdown passes on 19 completions in 21 attempts. Dickey's protection was superb.

One week later in New York, the Jets' defensive line, anchored by Mark Gastineau and Joe Klecko, clobbered the Pack's injury-plagued offensive line to just about ruin the Pack's offensive program. Dickey was sacked an unbelievable nine times—quite the opposite of superb protection.

Obviously, the No. 1 area of improvement must come in the offense line and Coach Bart Starr made two moves to help the situation—(1) drafting Ron Hallstrom, a highly-touted 280-pound offensive guard from the University of Iowa, as the Pack's first choice; and signing 270-pound Larry Pfohl, a star in Canadian football, who feels he can make it big in the NFL.

In addition, Starr and his offensive line coach Ernie McMillan have high hopes for Karl Swanke, a strong tackle-guard prospect, who looked so good in 1981 before injuries cut him down and who could be a starter.

Right Tackle Greg Koch and Center Larry McCarren are the mainstays of the offensive line with their consistently strong play. Tackle Mark Koncar, in and out with injuries, and Guards Derrel Gofourth, a courageous player since he'll play very hurt, and Leotis Harris will be pushed hard by newcomers.

The offensive line is the most wide-open area on the team. It's a key unit and as McMillan puts it, "offensive linemen are special people. They make the offense go." Starr, in his eight

Here, Linebackers Rich Wingo and George Lions' Billy Sims in Green Bay.

college player drafts, has selected three offense linemen first—Bill Bain, Koncar and Hallstrom, plus Koch on the second round.

The No. 2 area of concern is at running back. This unit developed into a possible difficulty when Eddie Lee Ivery went down in the league opener against the Bears in Chicago. It was the second time in three years that the nifty Ivery went out for the season in the Bear opener.

Ivery has 1,000-yard potential but his loss robbed the Pack of a chance to keep defenses honest—that is, reduced the effectiveness of the air attack especially earlier in the season. The dependable and fullbackish Gerry Ellis finished with 860 yards and a 4.4 average but in Ivery's place Harlan Huckleby averaged 2.7 yards and Terdell Middleton 3.4.

Ivery made a great recovery from knee surgery during the winter and he's ready to go along with Ellis, Huckleby and Middleton. Expected to make a bid are third draft choice Del Rodgers and Willard Reaves, a strong free agent who was cut down by injuries—plus two old pros, Eric Torkelson and Jim Jensen.

The value of rushing may be diminishing some in the NFL. There were 15 1,000-yard rushers in 1981 and only five of them were with playoff teams, Chuck Muncie of San Diego, Joe Cribbs of Buffalo, Tony Dorsett of Dallas, Wilbert Montgomery of Philadelphia and Pete Johnson of Cincinnati.

Ironically, the Super Bowl champion San Francisco's leading rusher, Ricky Patton produced only 543 yards and averaged 3.6. Yet, the 49ers averaged 121 yards rushing per game compared to the Pack's 104 and Houston's (with Earl Campbell) 108. Dallas rushed for an average of 169 yards per game and Kansas City, a non-playoff team, averaged 164.

At any rate, Packer opponents aren't likely to think rush when they play the Packers due to the presence of the game's two best pass catchers, James Lofton and John Jefferson, plus what some folks call a sneaky tight end in Paul Coffman.

With good protection for the quarterback, plus a steady rush attack, the Packers' aerial game could make the Packers' offense devastating. With the departure of Zeke Bratkowski, the Pack's offense may take a different direction since the unit will have a coordinator, Bob Schnelker, a Packer assistant coach in the Lombardi era.

While Dickey is the acknowledged No. 1 quarterback, there likely will be a battle at the position. David Whitehurst, starting his sixth season, set the comeback in motion last year with his fine play when Dickey went down. Whitehurst in turn will be pushed by Rich Campbell, the Pack's first draft choice in 1981, who played in only one game as a rookie.

Defensively, the Packers made a vast improvement in 1981 over the previous year. They jumped from 25th place in 1980 in overall defense to ninth in the NFL last year and they ranked fifth in yards allowed per play. Plus they led the NFL with 54 takeaways—30 interceptions and 24 fumble recoveries!

Defense coordinator John Meyer enters the season with benefit of some keen competition among players in his three units—defense line, linebacker and secondary.

At end, Mike Butler, the team sack leader, had his best year in '81 and he hopes to improve on it. Casey Merrill and Ezra Johnson will go at it at the other end and Rich Turner will push Terry Jones at the key nose guard spot.

Linebackers Mike Douglass, John Anderson, Rich Wingo and George Cumby went the 16-game route for the first time (they were wrecked by injuries in 1980) and are highly rated. They'll have plenty of competition from holdovers Kurt Allerman, Randy Scott and Cliff Lewis—plus draftees Thomas Boyd, Robert Brown, James Davidson and Chet Parlavecchio.

The battle in the secondary is especially interesting. The team finished the season strong with Mark Lee and Mike McCoy at the corners and Mark Murphy and Maurice Harvey at safety.

Murphy and Harvey weren't even figured as starters, but free safety Mike Jolly went down just before the league season and Harvey stepped in and intercepted six passes. During the season, dependable Johnnie Gray went down and Murphy moved to strong safety and intercepted three passes.

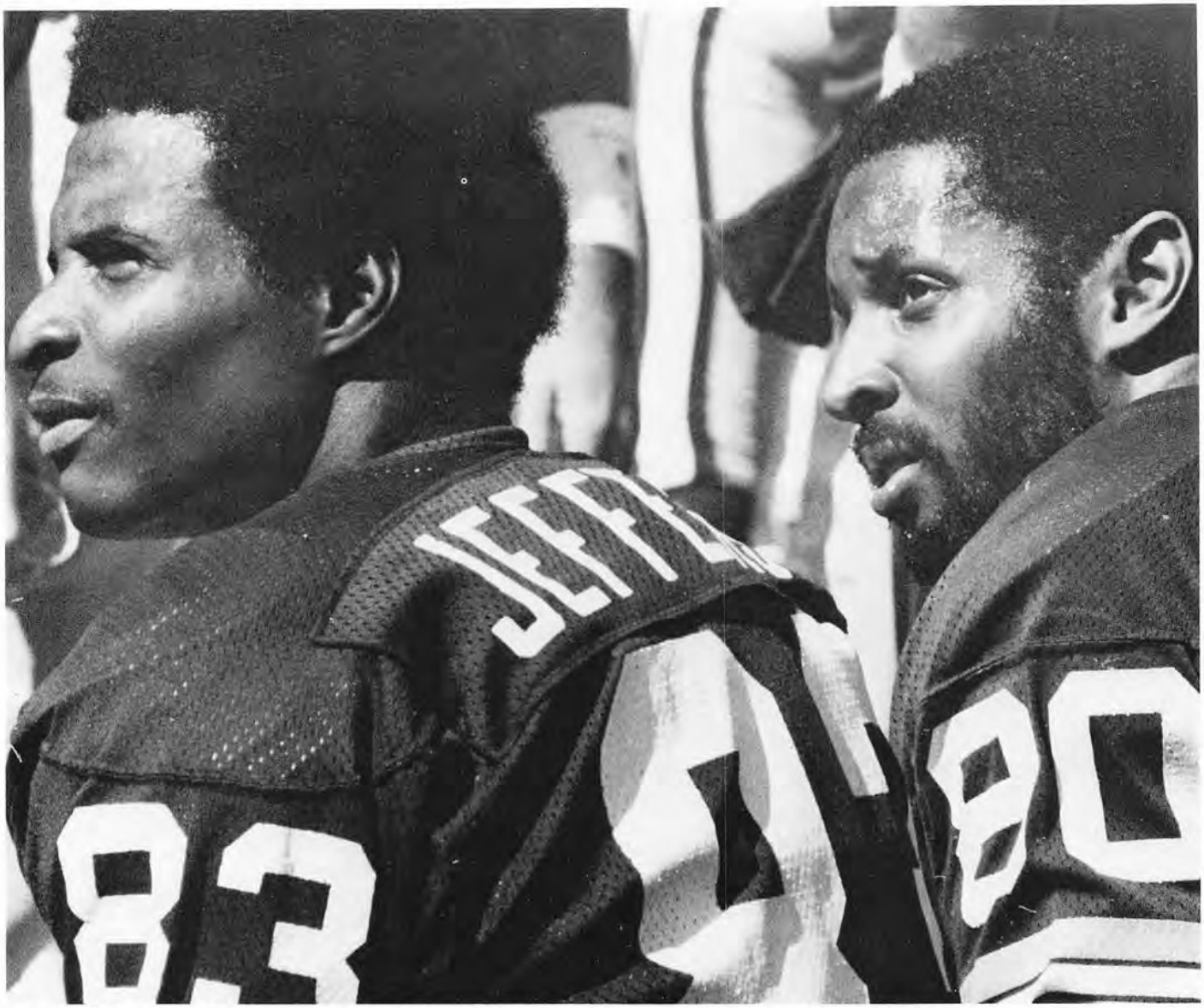
Lee came on strong in 1981 with six interceptions as a sophomore after being bothered by injuries as a freshman. McCoy intercepted two passes and the nickel back, Estus Hood, grabbed three in his part-time role.

Jolly and Gray, not to mention Bill Whitaker, who is very anxious to play, will create some exciting competition among last year's finishers.

The Packers' special teams, coached by Dick Rehbein, revolve around the talents of placekicker Jan Stenerud and punter Ray Stachowicz. Stenerud is coming off a fantastic 22 for 24 field goal season, while Stachowicz enters his second season hoping to improve on his 40.6-yard average and his overall efficiency.

The special teams led the league in kickoff coverage in 1981. Fred Nixon and Lee handled most of the punt and kickoff returning last year but they'll be pushed by plenty of prospects this year, including Dave Frageorgia.

And there you are—the 1982 Packers. The parity in NFL has made the Super Bowl wide open. The 1981 finalists, the 49ers and Bengals, both were 6-10 in 1980. Green Bay was 8-8 in 1981 and . . . let's hope!



John Jefferson and James Lofton eye clock during loss to Vikings in Milwaukee. It was Jefferson's first game as Packer.

Lofton and Jefferson/Jefferson and Lofton

By Chuck Salituro
The Milwaukee Journal

It all began on Sept. 27, 1981.

That's when John Jefferson burst onto the scene with the Green Bay Packers.

That's when, upon hearing his name announced for the first time as a member of the Packers' starting offensive unit, Jefferson paraded to the center of the field at County Stadium in Milwaukee.

That's when, before Jefferson could take his place in line with the rest of the Packers' offensive starters, James Lofton stepped forward to greet him.

That's when, in an almost perfectly choreographed routine, Jefferson and Lofton leaped in unison, their right arms extended, and slapped their hands together in a resounding "high five."

That's when, according to many observers in the National Football League, the two best wide receivers in professional football were united on the same team.

Jefferson and Lofton. Lofton and Jefferson.

"It's almost too good to be true to have the two best wide receivers on the same team," said John Madden, former Oakland Raider coach, who selected Lofton and Jefferson as the starting wide receivers on his "NFL dream team."

"If I had to pick two wide receivers to build my offense around, Lofton and Jefferson would be the guys," Madden said. "It's amazing to think that the Packers have them both."

Yes siree John, the Packers do have them both. And although both contributed greatly to the Packers' rise in the second half of last season, when the club won six of eight games, Jefferson and Lofton are convinced

that Packer fans haven't seen anything yet.

With the prospects high for a healthier and more talented offensive line to protect Packer quarterback Lynn Dickey and a new offensive coordinator, Bob Schnelker, to orchestrate the Packer offense, Lofton and Jefferson believe that this season—their first full year together as Packers—will be even better.

By better, they mean helping to put the Packers in the NFL playoffs.

"I look at the Packers much the same way as I looked at the Chargers in the first year that we made the playoffs in San Diego," Jefferson said. "There's a lot of talent, and I think we showed by winning six of our last eight games last season that all we needed to do was to start believing in ourselves."

Jefferson, perhaps more than any other player, was responsible for the Packers' ability to do that.

His effervescent enthusiasm was downright contagious.

After being acquired from the San Diego Chargers three games into last season, Jefferson did not have the kind of year, statistically, that he had been used to as a Charger. Still, a case could be made that Jefferson was the Packers' most valuable player for helping the Packer players to believe that they could be winners.

Lofton says as much. "J.J.'s enthusiasm meant a lot to us, especially because he's a top player," Lofton said. "He really had an impact with us."

Let alone with the Packers' fans. Last season's festive 31-17 victory over the Detroit Lions at Lambeau Field was the best example of how Jefferson was able to turn on Packer fans.

That day began with his high-five routine with Lofton, which immediately caused the crowd to go wild.

Then, after being fiercely decked by Lion safety Luther Bradley while catching a pass in the second quarter, Jefferson bounced up and waved both arms to let the fans know he was all right. All of which made the crowd go wild again and certainly impressed his teammates.

"He's like a rubberband man," Dickey said. "How can you not get excited when you see a player give as much as J.J. gives?"

In all, Jefferson caught eight passes in the Packers' important victory over the Lions, which accounted for more than 20% of the 39 passes Jefferson caught all of last season.

Jefferson, realistically, was frustrated at times with the Packers' inability to get him the ball. But that frustration never kept him from doubting that he and the Packers could be successful.

"Now that we have the enthusiasm on this team, we know we can win," Jefferson said. "What excites me and strikes me is not John Jefferson doing well, but the Packers as a team are on the verge of doing well.

"You can just feel an air of excitement on this team. This team is going to go wild if we can win the division this year.

"Not only Wisconsin, but I think the whole country is waiting on Green Bay. People still remember the Lombardi days, and they're going to go crazy when we start playing that well again."

If it sounds as though Jefferson has gotten carried away with the Packers' potential for success, it's probably because he has never experienced anything but success in football.

And he always has played an impor-

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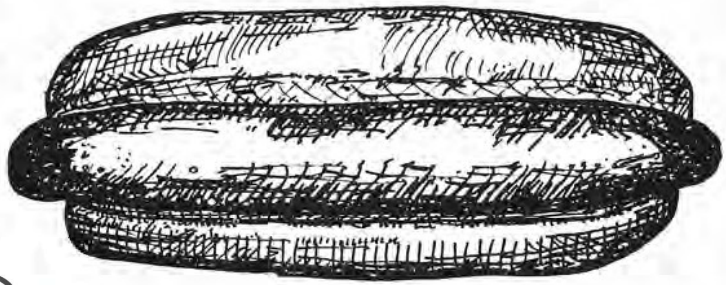

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tant role in turning average teams into great ones. His Roosevelt High School team in suburban Dallas was ranked as one of the best in the nation. He helped Arizona State go from a powerhouse in the Western Athletic Conference to a national power, contributing greatly to the Sun Devils' 12-0 record in 1975, when they were ranked second in the nation.

And as Jefferson said, "Until the last few years when we made things happen, San Diego was just a truck stop among NFL clubs. We made it special with our enthusiasm. The same thing is happening in Green Bay.

"We've got receivers who are confident in their ability. With James and me, our quarterbacks can throw it up there and we can catch it. And Paul Coffman is probably the sneakiest tight end in the league.

"There is no doubt in my mind that we can make the playoffs this year. We have the perfect mixture of talent and confidence."

Perhaps no player on the Packers is more talented and confident than Lofton, the club's most valuable player on offense the last two years.

Lofton's talent is extremely evident. Last season, for the second consecutive year, Lofton caught 71 passes, giving him 242 in four years as a pro. The 1,294 yards he gained in receptions last year was a club record, and in his 64 games as a Packer, he has been shut out only once.

And Lofton's confidence never wanes.

After beating all-pro cornerback Lester Hayes of the Raiders in an exhibition game last August in Milwaukee, Lofton was not surprised.

"I think I'm the best receiver in football," he said.

Better than Jefferson? Lofton smiled, and said, "Yeah, I think so, but I'm sure he thinks he's better.

"I think I've gotten to a point where I know what I can do. I know what I can expect from myself on each Sunday, and I go out and try to contribute as much as possible."

Before the arrival of Jefferson, Coach Bart Starr had said several times that he felt that Lofton was the best wide receiver that he had ever been associated with as a player or a coach.

And what makes Lofton that good? Well, certainly his confidence helps, as does the experience he has gained.

"I think when you talk about improvement, you have to associate experience with playing skills," James said. "I don't see my physical skills dwindling in the next several years.

"At the same time, I will be participating more against special defenses, and improving game after game, year after year. And I think that's the thing that makes you a better football player."

Paul Coffman, the sneakiest tight end in the NFL, passes ball to fans after scoring TD against Detroit in Green Bay.

And the arrival of Jefferson has helped to make Lofton even more effective.

Dick LeBeau, former secondary coach of the Packers and now secondary coach with the Cincinnati Bengals, believes that that is true.

"When we played the Packers in Green Bay two years ago—before they had Jefferson—everything we did on defense was predicted on where Lofton would be," LeBeau said. "But with Jefferson, you can't do that now. It's got to make James a much more effective player. It makes the Packers a much more dangerous team."

Dickey realized that right away. And that was why he was so enthusiastic when Starr announced to his players that the Packers had traded for Jefferson.

"It was right after practice on a Thursday," Dickey said. "Coach Starr walked into the locker room and said, although it wasn't official yet, we had made a trade for John Jefferson.

"I just walked right up to him and asked, 'Did I hear what I think I heard?' When he said yes, I just said, 'Let me shake your hand.' Everyone in the locker room went crazy.

"Imagine, John Jefferson and James Lofton together on the same team. It's a quarterback's dream."

It was also a fellow wide receiver's dream.

"When Coach Starr told us, I was so happy for the Packers and J.J.," Lofton said. "People have asked me if it would be hard to share the spotlight with another great receiver. I don't look at it that way. I look at it as that we have another great player to help make us a better team."

And Jefferson feels much the same way about playing with Lofton.

"I especially like playing with James," Jefferson said. "He's been great. He's a good friend and a great teammate."

It will be Schnelker's job to develop an offense that will make maximum use of Lofton and Jefferson.

The Packers' offensive philosophy was not exactly to Jefferson's liking when he first arrived, and after a few games as a Packer, he said so: "Our

offense is not as wide open as I'd like it to be. Not yet, at least.

"In San Diego, they play ball control with their passing game. I like that style of play. I'm hoping things can become more wide open here."

Schnelker, well respected around the NFL for his ability to design a passing attack, is not making any promises, but, no doubt, there will be subtle changes in the Packer offense to make better use of Lofton and Jefferson.

"I don't think you can pass all the time and be effective," Schnelker said. "But certainly we want to make as much use of the talents of Lofton and Jefferson as possible.

"I'm really looking forward to working with them. I've never had the chance before to work with two receivers as talented as they are."

And Starr agrees. "We did not do a very good job, at first, of getting J.J. the ball," he said. "But, obviously, we want to do as much as we can to improve our offense, using the talents of these two fine players."

Yes, with Jefferson incorporated more into the Packers' offense, his impact should be even greater than last season.

And Jefferson, who was the only receiver in NFL history to gain more than 1,000 yards in receptions in each of his first three years in the league, all with the Chargers, hopes to perform better on the field, and have an even greater effect in keeping the Packers' enthusiasm on the rise.

Jefferson feels he will be able to accomplish all of that because he says he is truly happy as a Packer.

"People said that I couldn't be happy playing in Green Bay," he said. "But that's not true. I am happy, and I'm really looking forward to having an impact on making us a playoff team. I'm excited about this season."

Indeed, not only was Jefferson born to catch the football, he was born with the enthusiasm and flair to go with it. The combination makes him as charismatic a player as there is in the NFL. Certainly, that was evident as Packer fans hoisted Jefferson on their shoulders after the club's late-season victory over the Lions at Lambeau Field.

Said Howard Slusher, Jefferson's agent: "There probably are several receivers at this level with his amount of talent or close to it. What makes J.J. different is that he has the inner ingredients to go with his talent. He truly is a special person."

Said Dan Fouts, the Chargers' quarterback, who threw all of those passes to Jefferson in San Diego: "J.J. is the Magic Johnson of the NFL. Believe me, with no J.J., the Chargers are like the Mona Lisa without a smile."

The Packers have Jefferson's smile now, and Lofton's grin to go with it. And the two plan on refining their act, including their high-five routine.

They still laugh about how they leaped so high and slapped hands so hard during the introductions before last season's game with Tampa Bay in Green Bay that Jefferson came down on his rear end.

"Don't worry," Jefferson said. "James and I will get our act down pat, and hopefully, we can help the whole team get its act together, too."

Lofton and Jefferson — Together

	LOFTON — 1981					JEFFERSON — 1981				
	No.	Yds.	Ave.	L	TD	No.	Yds.	Ave.	L	TD
At Bears	5	84	16.8	23	0	—	—	—	—	—
Falcons (GB)	8	179	22.3	53	0	—	—	—	—	—
At Rams	5	73	14.6	22	1	—	—	—	—	—
Vikings (Mil.)	8	101	12.6	27	1	7	121	17.2	24	0
At Giants	5	75	15.0	26	0	2	31	15.5	26	1
Buccaneers (GB)	4	86	21.5	26	0	2	26	13.0	17	0
49ers (Mil)	1	13	13.0	13	0	3	47	15.6	18	0
At Lions	2	98	49.0	75	1	2	26	13.0	14	0
Seahawks (GB)	4	63	15.7	38	2	2	14	7.0	8	0
Giants (Mil)	2	12	6.0	6	0	3	71	23.6	41	0
Bears (GB)	5	80	16.0	21	0	0	0	0	0	0
At Buccaneers	6	102	17.0	21	0	2	10	5.0	10	0
At Vikings	7	159	22.7	47	1	2	43	21.5	30	1
Lions (GB)	4	90	22.5	46	1	8	113	14.1	22	0
At Saints	3	52	17.3	25	1	4	91	22.7	30	2
At Jets	2	27	13.5	19	0	2	39	19.5	23	0
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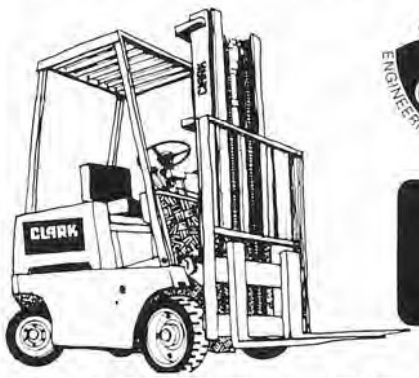

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In the Packers' Tradition

DON HUTSON and James Lofton

The Packers have had many potential Don Hutsons since the famous pass receiver retired in 1945.

None of them really ranked up with this 11-year terror, who among other things was selected as one of the best 11 football players in the first 50 years of this century . . . Until:

Perhaps James Lofton, the Packers' present peerless receiver who is now in his fifth season.

Hutson was the best pure pass catcher ever to play in the National Football League. He played 11 seasons and in his first seven years he also played defense—in other words 60 minutes. Some of his records still stand today despite the specialization on offense and defense.

Hutson established a tradition with the Packers when he came on the scene in 1935. While his coach, Curly Lambeau, was an exponent of the forward pass, it took a pass receiver of Hutson's great skills to make Green Bay the scourge of the NFL with the pass.

Comparisons seem pointless in view of the obvious conflicting eras of Hutson and Lofton, but they both do the same thing with great beauty and ease.

Presently, Lofton is proceeding at a pace that would exceed Hutson's most significant pass-receiving record, the 488 career passes caught. Don nailed those passes in 117 games for an average of 4.1 per game.

Lofton already has caught 242 passes in 64 games in his four seasons for an average of 3.7 per game.

Boyd Dowler was the only pass receiver to come close to Hutson. Boyd caught 449 in 11 seasons. Dowler, now an assistant coach with Tampa Bay, had a chance to play one more year but he pointed out "I'd always be Avis to Hutson anyway."

Lofton caught 71 passes in each of the past two seasons and thus just missed Hutson's record of 74 twice.

Hutson, a 9-7 swiftee, played in an era when the fastest players worked on offense—mostly as receivers, often giving them an edge against not-as-fast defense backs. Presently, defensive backs are often the fastest players on the team, thus putting speed against speed.

Hutson also became prolific as a scorer. He counted 99 touchdowns on pass receptions and added three by rushing (on end-around plays), two on blocked punts and one on an

A 1981 Game Program cover notes Packers' pass receiving tradition.

Don Hutson's famous publicity picture. Fans sought copies more than 20 years after he retired.

interception return (he was a safety on defense). In addition, Hutson kicked 172 extra points and seven field goals.

In all, Hutson scored 823 points in his 11 years—an average of almost 75 a season. He's a charter member of the Hall of Fame at Canton.

Now closing in on 69, Hutson splits his time between homes in Racine and Palm Springs, CA. He's a director emeritus of the Packers. A golf bug, Hutson plays in many golf events around the country.

Hutson was interviewed recently by Tom Wheatley of the Green Bay Press-Gazette and here are some of his thoughts on pro football:

On being out of the limelight—"I don't think that it's so awfully important. That's been so long since I played football that I can't see anybody getting excited about what I say. That doesn't mean I'm not interested in the Packers. That's a different story. I am very interested in them and always will be. But the records, they come and they go."

On watching Lofton—"I follow Lofton because he is one of the very finest football players that they have up there and that they have in the league. It's a pleasure to watch him play."

On pass patterns which he and the Packers have been credited with inventing—"I think that we did in a few instances, yes. But this was not something that I miraculously thought of. I'd like to tell you it was, but it's not.

"We had some very simple patterns that we ran in college. That was before they had the pass, percentage-wise, that they do now. They didn't throw many passes.

"But when I got to Green Bay (Arnie) Herber was there. And he was a fine passer. And of course (Cecil) Isbell came along after him and he was a great passer. (Coach Curly) Lambeau was a very pass-oriented man. And so we worked on all different kind of patterns and that was a great part of our offense.

"That's one thing that hasn't changed an awful lot. The patterns that they run now are primarily, not altogether, what they ran then.

On today's higher player salaries and player unions—"I don't begrudge 'em a bit. I think anything they can get, they should get. I do not agree with unions at all in athletics. I just don't like the idea that it makes a business out of it. Understand that I know it is a business, but I don't have to like it. I don't think they have nearly as much fun playing football now as they did before. And I think that it has taken something out of the game. I think the same way about baseball.

"The owners are the ones that gave the money. It wasn't the players. But it's the principle. I just don't like the idea of the whole thing being a business now instead of the fun that it used to be."

Hutson played his college football at the University of Alabama and made All-America. The unknown "other end" on the 10-0 team of 1934 was Bear Bryant, now the school's famous coach. Bryant played kind of a tight end position and Hutson recalled that he was a "fine blocker and a good defensive end."

Don Hutson today—very interested in his Packers.

HUTSON'S RECEIVING RECORD

Year	G	No.	Yds.	Ave.	L	TD
1935	10	18	420	23.3	83	6
1936	12	34	536	15.7	87	8
1937	11	41	552	13.4	78	7
1938	10	32	548	17.1	54	9
1939	11	34	846	24.8	92	6
1940	11	45	664	14.7	36	7
1941	11	58	738	12.7	45	10
1942	11	74	1211	16.3	73	17
1943	10	47	776	16.5	79	11
1944	10	58	866	14.9	55	9
1945	10	47	834	17.7	75	9
Totals	117	488	7991	16.3	92	99

(Hutson scored six other touchdowns—three by rushing, two on blocked punts and one on an interception return.)

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Year	G	No.	Yds.	Ave.	L	TD
1978	16	46	818	17.7	58	6
1979	16	54	968	17.9	52	4
1980	16	71	1226	17.3	47	4
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Totals	64	242	4306	17.7	75	22

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Meet the New President —

JUDGE ROBERT J. PARINS

By Mike Smothers
Green Bay Press-Gazette

The Green Bay Packers officially entered the era of Judge Robert J. Parins last May 3.

The Packers' Executive Committee that day elected Parins, 63, the corporation's eighth president and the first one to make the position a full-time job.

Although the election made it official, the Parins era actually began seven months earlier. He's been running the corporation's daily business ever since the committee, looking toward the end of Dominic Olejniczak's 24-year reign as franchise head, named him principal executive officer in October 1981.

A Brown County Circuit Court judge since 1967, Parins joined the Packers' board of directors a year earlier. In 1979 he became Executive Committee vice president.

Despite that history, most Packer fans outside of Green Bay know little about the man. He gave them a hint last fall when, before a small army of reporters, he quickly settled the season's biggest controversy by announcing Coach Bart Starr's contract would be extended for two more years. He gave another hint soon after when the Packers, with his approval, signed wide receiver John Jefferson to a lucrative contract.

The fans certainly hope — and the team's climb from a poor start to within a game of the playoffs tempts them to — that the Parins era will portray championship traits.

But they will soon learn some of the traits it will bear, and those may sound familiar: Well-balanced but quick decisions, deep devotion to the job, the team and its fans and respect from football officials throughout the country.

It didn't take long for Starr and Bob Harlan, chief player contract negotiator, to learn about Judge Parins.

"His approach is such that it's refreshing to get a response to a question in two sentences rather than two paragraphs," said Starr. "I've genuinely enjoyed getting to know him.

"He's well-organized and thorough yet brief and direct. He's firm and well-disciplined yet compassionate. He's a strong, confident leader, yet one who delegates responsibility quickly to capable assistants."

Parins, in other words, has a lot in common with the late Vince Lombardi, Starr said. "And they both have had very supportive wives, and that's important." he said.

Said Harlan:

"He's more than willing to listen to what problems I have and he gives me a quick decision. He's already earned a lot of respect around the league. He's gotten it from people who've met him just once."

Said one of those people, Chicago Bears owner George Halas:

"There's no question that he'll step right in and do a good job. He's a quick decider and he makes his decisions stick. He has the proper approach to the game. An outstanding man who I'm sure will do a good job."

"Just being the kind of man he is, I'm sure he'll have a great impact on the team," said Parins' long-time friend, Marvin Malcore of Green Bay.

The kind of man Parins is can best be described in one word — drive. His

Judge Robert J. Parins — the Packers' new full-time President.

is a record of success in everything he's tried.

While he and his wife, the former Elizabeth Carroll of Portage, WI, began their family of five children, Parins built his legal practice until, seven years after receiving his law degree, he was elected in 1949 to a two-year term as Brown County district attorney. He practiced law and shared business ventures with Olejniczak, a close friend, until 1967 when his first six-year term as judge began. Reelected twice without opposition since, he's considered by many members of Brown County's legal community its finest judge.

"There's no question he's one of the most respected judges in the state," said Avram Berk, a Green Bay attorney who knows Parins' court.

"He's very good at evaluating the true worth involved in complex cases and in working out compromises, and for that he does his homework," said attorney Philip R. Brehm, another Parins court veteran and member of the state bar's Board of Governors.

A federal judgeship for Parins appeared likely three years ago until President Carter issued guidelines against selecting candidates over 60. "It's the finest legal position you can hold," said Parins. He admits he was disappointed.

In a city filled with amateur sports enthusiasts Parins excelled again. Barrel-chested at 5'6", he keeps his twice-a-week golf scores in the 80's and his stable of horses well-exercised on his farm outside the city, where he trades his mind-taxing chores for the tractor and the pitchfork. An avid fisherman, Parins has cut his racquetball down but keeps his swimming up at the local YMCA.

Fifty-one years ago he lost his right arm when the bicycle he was riding was struck by a car.

"I'll never forget the people who encouraged me to get a good education after the accident," he said. "While I was still in the hospital the doctor planted it in me to go into law."

"He's a very determined man, and I think the accident had to do with that," Malcore said.

Malcore pointed to another outlet for Parins' drive. "He's a great sports fan. I don't think there's a player in any sport on any team that he doesn't know about. And he loves the Packers," Malcore said. "He hasn't missed a Packer game here or in Milwaukee in 30 years."

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Parins promised he won't be missing many games during his tenure, no matter where the team plays. "I'll attend all of the league meetings, too," he said.

He knows he'll have to do that and more if the Packers are to keep pace with the demand for sound corporate business sense that will be needed to survive in modern pro football.

That demand, Parins said, will be the Packers' greatest need during his era and his greatest challenge.

"We're going to see great changes in professional football and the changes will substantially affect the Packers," he said when he took the job.

As to the changes Parins plans for the Packers corporation, "there will be a significant difference between what's happened in the past and what will happen in the future," he said.

One Packer official defined the Parins era difference this way:

"The business has become so complex — investments, collective bargaining, television contracts — and it continues to change. Someone has got to handle the overall operation on a more consistent basis — full time, not just several hours a day. That way we can move ahead quicker on certain projects."

Parins defined it this way:

"I'll be there on a daily basis, from the opening of the doors in the morning to the closing of the doors in the evening. In that sense there will be a difference.

"I'll manage from the top every facet of the corporate business. That means attending to league matters — of no small substance any longer — attending to the administrative offices — also quite substantial — and supervising and managing the entire football operation.

"I think supplying guidelines for player and coach contract negotiations — setting limits, for instance, on maximum salaries — is a prospect. That hasn't been developed in the past. I intend to review the whole panorama of people there.

"Lastly, of course, is the football operation. Most people probably consider that the main job of the president. But outside of the selection of the head coach and his assistants, that's probably my area of least responsibility.

"I'm sure there will be times when my friends say to me at the golf course or at a party, 'What'd you draft that guy for?' or, 'Why aren't you playing this fella or that fella?' or, 'How come this guy wasn't put in at quarterback?' and I'll probably respond like a fan would," Parins said. "But I won't try to coach."

He'll keep hands off the daily jobs of Starr and Harlan, "and I won't try to tell them who to draft," Parins said. But he also promised to make use of "the excellent, community-minded men who give freely of their time" to serve on the Executive Committee. Together they will decide which team officials stay and which go, he said.

How long will the Parins era last? Despite the corporation rule that requires the president to be elected each year, Parins said he'll sign a multi-year contract.

"Let's say I hope to serve until my mandatory retirement age as a judge," which is 70, he said. He also hopes to keep his judicial career alive by serving as a state reserve judge, taking cases on special assignment when the time allows.

"There's no question I would miss being a judge," he said.

As the Packers' first full-time president, he said he'll draw a salary "commensurate with the job's responsibilities," and predicted that no team official will ever reveal what the amount will be. Parins conceded it will be more than the $49,127 a year he earned as a judge. Parins will be the first of the Packers' eight presidents to receive full-time pay.

Knowing that, Parins said he still took awhile to decide to take the job.

"It takes some soul searching," he said. "I love my job, but there comes a time in life when, if something exciting comes along that you can cap your career off with, you have to take a strong look at it."

As a man driven to achievement and asked by his peers to lead the team he loves, his decision to begin the Parins era was all but a foregone conclusion.

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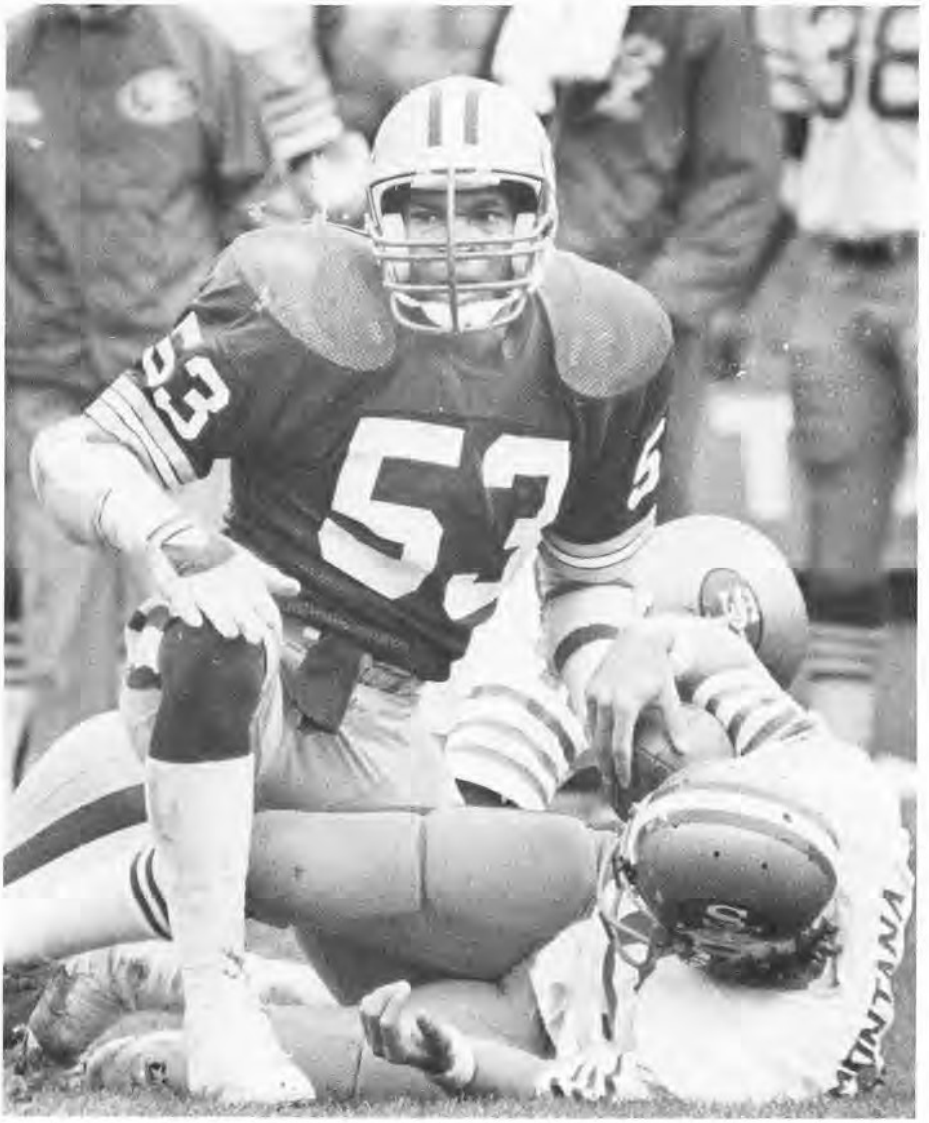

Linebacker Mike Douglass gets up slowly after sacking quarterback Joe Montana in close loss to 49ers in Milwaukee.

By Bob McGinn
Green Bay Press-Gazette

The Green Bay Packers believe 1981 marked the birth of a linebacking unit that needs only experience to become the finest in the National Football League.

What a difference a year makes.

Remember, if you will, the 1980 season. Rich Wingo had a back operation before he played a down. John Anderson suffered a third broken arm. George Cumby had surgery on both knees.

With the core of their defense on injured reserve, the Packers tried to resist with the likes of Ed O'Neil, Jim Gueno, Kurt Allerman and Paul Rudzinski. But it was an all but impossible task.

Last year the Packer linebackers were hale and hearty all the way. Wingo, Anderson, Cumby and Mike Douglass each started 16 games. They developed into a unit that the team's coaching staff wouldn't trade for another in the NFL.

"Our guys are as good as any four playing," says John Meyer, the Packers' defensive coordinator. John Marshall, the assistant coach in charge of the linebackers, seconds Meyer by saying, "I wouldn't take another group, either."

There are, of course, many topnotch linebacking units in the league.

"I realize that," says Meyer. "I think Denver has a helluva group of linebackers. I think Atlanta does. I think the New York Giants do. I think Minnesota has a good group. The addition of Hugh Green really strengthens the group at Tampa Bay. Buffalo's got a good group. I think there's a lot of good groups, but I'll stay with my statement."

It is the Packers' contention that their group has more room for realistic improvement than the others.

The Broncos' four starting linebackers are all at least 29 years old. Second-year sensation Lawrence Taylor is the only Giant regular younger than 28.

Douglass, by comparison, is the graybeard for the Packers, and he's 27. Anderson, Cumby and Wingo are all 26.

In terms of experience, Douglass is far ahead of the others. He will begin his fifth season having never missed a game.

Anderson also is in his fifth season, but his left arm fractures cut his first three seasons almost in half. Wingo officially is to start his fourth year, but he missed his sophomore campaign in its entirety. And Cumby moves into his third season after playing just nine games as a rookie.

"These guys are on the come now," says Marshall. "That's the best thing

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about them — they're all young and they'll get better and better. They have a ways to go yet, but they're capable of being at that (highest) level."

The resurgence of the Packer defense last season can be traced to many reasons. The coaching of Meyer, Marshall, Ross Fichtner (secondary) and Doc Urich (defensive line) was high quality. The Packer defenders were in their second year with the 3-4 and, correspondingly, more comfortable with it. And many of the defensive starters had good years.

But the key probably was the return to health of the linebackers.

"Those four linebackers accounted for 465 tackles," says Meyer. "They were a very important nucleus of our defense. It was great having those four guys play the whole season."

In 1981, the defense:

- Improved from 25th to seventh in yards allowed per play.
- Improved from 23rd to ninth in yards allowed per game.
- Improved from 27th to first in turnovers created.

"Linebackers are the heart of a 3-4," Meyer says. "That's why you go to a 3-4. If you lose your heart, the feet and arms tend to weaken. That's why their health is certainly critical to our success."

The greatest Packer linebacking units were anchored by Ray Nitschke. In the early 1960s, Nitschke teamed with Bill Forester and Dan Currie. A few years later his mates were Lee Roy Caffey and Dave Robinson.

In the last 15 years the top Packer linebackers probably have been Fred Carr, Jim Carter and Ted Hendricks, who played only in 1974.

The current Packer quartet would like nothing better than to become recognized as the best in club history.

At this stage of his career, Douglass has the most accomplishments. He has put together magnificent seasons back-to-back. He has led the team in tackles the last two years. Twice he has been voted the team's most valuable defensive player.

Yet, for one reason or another, Douglass and the Packers feel he has received nothing but injustice when it comes to postseason honors. He was a second-team all-NFC pick by United Press International last year, but a berth in the Pro Bowl, as voted by the players, continued to avoid him.

"I think that Mike Douglass should have been in the Pro Bowl," Meyer says. "They always say he's too small. That's a bunch of (bleep)."

Defensive Coordinator John Meyer and Linebacker George Cumby embrace after Packer victory over Vikings at Bloomington.

The Associated Press all-pro squad had Lawrence Taylor and Bob Swenson on its first team and Houston's Robert Brazile and Philadelphia's Jerry Robinson on its second team.

Douglass says he's not upset by the selections. But when he warms to the topic a bit, his words seem to suggest otherwise.

"There's not another linebacker in the league that had better stats than I did, or made as many big plays as I did, but there were a lot of linebackers who got a lot more exposure than I did," he says.

"Lawrence Taylor had 77 unassisted tackles (actually 72). I had 146. We had the same number of sacks (9½). He had one interception and I had three.

"You look what I did within our defense and what he did within his and I would rate higher. But he had more exposure than I did, so naturally the attention goes to the guy in the right city.

"What more do I have to do? I think I've proved myself as a player. I think I've done more for our team than anybody else. I play every Sunday. I think production is the bottom line. I just want my just due."

Douglass's goal last season was to improve his pass coverage. Meyer says Douglass attained his goal. He continued to use his acceleration and anticipation as a blitzer, ranking second on the team in sacks and first in quarterback hurries.

His play against the run was also solid, despite the fact he carried merely 210 pounds on his 6-foot frame.

But despite his success, Douglass doesn't intend to get a fat-cat attitude. And his coaches still think he has room for improvement.

"I think he's still on the climb," Meyer says. "He's still got some areas he can get a little bit better at."

Anderson, the Packers' other outside linebacker, wasn't nearly as spectacular as Douglass in his first complete pro season. But that's not to

say he wasn't as effective.

As strongside linebacker, Anderson played on the tight end's side. As weakside linebacker, Douglass usually operated without a tight end in front of him.

Teams generally run more plays to the tight end side than to the weak side, increasing the role of the strongside linebacker against the run. Anderson was also asked to cover the tight end man-to-man in many passing situations as part of the Packers' defensive scheme.

"Douglass was more visible because of what we asked him to do," says Meyer. "He had more tackles (146 to Anderson's 117), yet John Anderson missed less tackles. I don't know I'd single any of them out for having the best year."

Anderson has never been a particularly lusty hitter, but he is a sure tackler. "He's not going to bludgeon you to death," Meyer says. "He's smart enough not to take a lot of punishment if he doesn't have to, which I would agree with."

Anderson wore a thick protective pad on his left arm last season and may do so again in 1982. He says he felt no pain in his arm in '81.

The Packers praise Anderson for his devotion to duty. Quiet and deliberate in personality, he almost always plays at a consistent level.

"He's an even-keeled guy. You always know what to expect from him," says Marshall. "Andy doesn't do anything except get his job done and play extremely well."

At 6-3 and 228 pounds, Anderson is the only one of the four who isn't undersized by most standards. He also possesses rare athletic ability. He has graded out as the team's premier all-around athlete in each of his four seasons.

Anderson was criticized at times last season for being beaten on important passing downs. He also had trouble with Jimmie Giles of Tampa Bay, who caught 10 passes for 148 yards and two touchdowns in a pair of games.

But the Buccaneers apparently consider Anderson anything but an easy mark. Tom Bass, their defensive coordinator last year who now holds a similar post with San Diego, terms Anderson's pass defense "exceptional."

Meyer and Marshall agree.

"There was some (bleep) about him getting beat by the tight end," recalls Meyer. "Well, if people could look at the films and see how that damn tight end pushes off all the time, which is supposed to be illegal . . . I'm talking about Giles. John's doing a better job than most people covering them.

"If you're going to play a double zone or double man, the strongside linebacker has got a job on his hands with the tight end. That's the nature of the beast. He (Anderson) is capable of doing it, and I have no qualms about it."

Says Marshall: "People started asking, 'Can John Anderson cover the tight end?' Yeah, he can cover the tight end. He is more than adequate for that position. And, he plays the run extremely well. In terms of size, speed and intelligence, he's a prototype Sam (strongside) linebacker."

Anderson's 1981 statistics included a team-high four fumble recoveries, a team-high 15 pass deflections and three interceptions. Meyer regards the 15 knockdowns as an extraordinary number.

In 1978, his first season, Anderson intercepted four passes in his first three games enroute to making the all-rookie team.

That was when the Packers used the 4-3, however, and the current 3-4 as played by the Packers is probably a more disciplined alignment. Meyer believes Anderson has less big-play opportunities at his present position, even though he jokingly tells Anderson that some of the 15 deflections should have ended up in the interception column, and feels he is overshadowed by Douglass.

"John's always saddled with the tight end and that's a helluva lot tougher to play with somebody in your face," he says. "Secondly, in our defense we blitz Mike Douglass about 50 percent of the time. We gear our defense to the things people do best, and Mike Douglass is a great blitzer. John Anderson is good on the tight end."

Anderson says he is more interested in making sure the Packers reach the playoffs than making the Pro Bowl. But he feels he has enough ability to be selected for the Pro Bowl.

"I still have a great deal of confidence," he says. "It's been a matter of playing full seasons in my career. If I'm able to do that the honors will come."

Cumby overcame his knee problems and a relatively new position to perform admirably in his first season as a starter. He was third on the team in tackles with 102 and was second to Douglass in fumbles forced with five.

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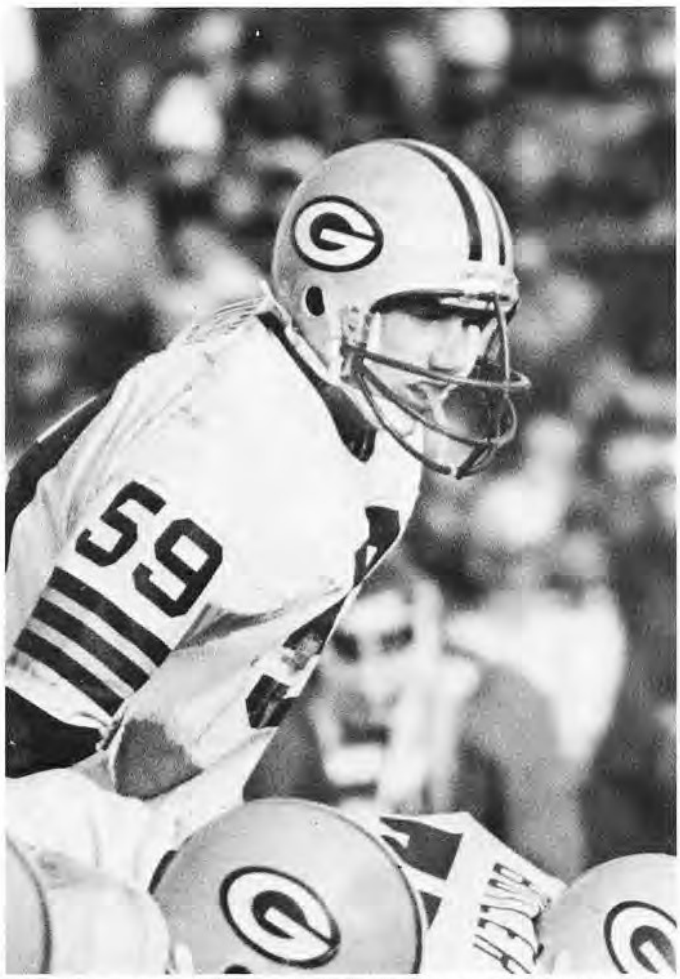

John Anderson (left) waits intently for next play. Rich Wingo flashes the smile of a linebacker who has just intercepted a pass against Seattle in Green Bay.

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He also knocked down six passes and pilfered three.

"I think George Cumby is climbing by leaps and bounds," Meyer says. "He's going to be a much more productive player next year than he was this year. Last year was a good learning year for George. I expect big things from him this year."

Cumby reported to the Packers in 1980 weighing 210 pounds, and physically looked more like a strong safety than an outside linebacker.

After undergoing a minor knee scope in the exhibition season, Cumby found himself starting at inside linebacker by midseason. Then he tore a ligament in his other knee at Pittsburgh and his season ended.

The Packers told Cumby during the offseason that he would play inside. He was told to gain weight and increase his strength. He reported at 230 pounds and "was a helluva lot stronger," according to Meyer.

Cumby's new-look physique and a more combative approach enabled him to hold his own in the trenches. His flat-out speed and quick feet helped him to run with most halfbacks when the Packers were in man-to-man pass coverage.

Under the circumstances, the mild-mannered Cumby feels he had a respectable season. But by no means is he satisfied.

Says Cumby: "I basically was protecting my knees the whole year. I was coming off surgery, learning the defense and getting used to all the extra weight."

He wouldn't mind playing a lot like Douglass in the future.

"That's experience," Cumby says. "He plays in reactions. Now this year I'll be able to play in reaction, not having to think so much. It slows your ability down when you have to think a lot about what you're doing."

The Texas-born Cumby also believes he has as much talent as Douglass. "I can make a big play," he says without cockiness. "I'm planning on showing myself a lot more this year."

Marshall expects big things from Cumby. The coach says, "I think he will eventually work into being one of the best linebackers in the NFL. He's got a lot of ability, he's smart and he cares about playing as well as he possibly can."

Wingo, by nature his own most severe critic, was displeased with his play in '81. "Last year was probably my worst year in football," he says.

Some observers were surprised he even played. He underwent surgery for a ruptured disk in his back in September, 1980. Some athletes never return after back operations.

Wingo did more than just make it back in a year. He started every game and, although his performance wasn't up to the standards of his rookie year in 1979 when he made a club-record 151 tackles, he made 100 stops.

"I think Rich coming back off a back operation was rather remarkable, if not miraculous," says Meyer.

In the 3-4, Wingo mans the strong-side inside post and has to fight through heavy traffic before he reaches the runner. As a rookie, Wingo flourished in a 4-3 setup that allowed him to roam from sideline-to-sideline.

"I am a middle linebacker. I'm better suited for a 4-3 than a 3-4," Wingo says with typical bluntness. "It was nice to

have four big linemen in front of me clearing out people instead of hitting a hole and getting caught up. It took me longer than I expected to get used to this defense. I'm looking forward to playing in a 3-4 as I did in a 4-3. I hope I can rebound."

In addition to an unfamiliarity with the defense, Wingo had two other problems. First, like Cumby, he had to overcome mental hurdles stemming from his injury. Second, he was often guilty of over-pursuit.

"I'd say that for the first half of the year I was sometimes afraid to let it all loose, to go 110 miles per hour toward the ball," Wingo says. "But the last half, especially the last three games, I forgot all about my back. It felt great. I started playing better football."

In the 4-3, Wingo's all-out, naturally reckless style fit perfectly. In the 3-4, he sometimes found himself taking himself out of plays by being over anxious.

"It's so frustrating — you've been to the ballcarrier and past and you've over pursued," he says. "You've got to sort of gun it down a little. I have to slow everything down. George is beside me and I have to have confidence in him."

Meyer says of Wingo: "He's got to learn to be a little more patient within the framework of our defense and, consequently, he'll become more effective. Rich's motor is running at a high rev all the time and he does tend to want to do too much. He's got to learn to choke his motor down some. He knows he's got to."

Wingo received numerous team and league awards as a rookie, but he wonders now how good he can be. "I had a taste of it my rookie year, but I was disappointed last year," he says. "I know I am a much better player. I'm looking forward to doing something about it. I don't even think about the Pro Bowl or making All-Pro. Maybe I should, but I never do. That's for people like Dick Butkus, Ray Nitschke."

One factor that the transition in defenses had no affect on was Wingo's leadership qualities.

"He'll make a defense run right," says Marshall. "He doesn't stand for any fooling around on the field. He works his tail off and he expects everybody else to. The players react favorably to it because they know that's Rich Wingo."

PACKER INDIVIDUAL DEFENSIVE STATISTICS (1981)

PLAYERS	TACKLES	ASSISTED TACKLES	CAUSED FUMBLE	RECOVERED FUMBLE	SACK	CAUSE INTERCEPTION	INTERCEPT	KNOCKDOWN
Mike Douglass	146	34	7	3	9½	0	3	3
John Anderson	117	33	1	4	1	0	3	15
George Cumby	102	37	5	2	0	0	3	6
Rich Wingo	100	39	1	0	2	0	1	1
Terry Jones	82	11	1	2	0	2	0	3
Maurice Harvey	65	28	3	2	0	1	6	10
Mike Butler	59	15	1	0	10½	0	0	3
Casey Merrill	54	17	1	3	7	0	0	0
Johnnie Gray	54	11	2	1	1	0	0	0
Mike McCoy	41	21	0	0	0	0	2	10
Mark Lee	35	17	0	1	0	0	6	17
Mark Murphy	30	16	0	0	0	1	3	4
Ezra Johnson	30	6	1	0	4½	0	0	0
Estus Hood	24	2	0	0	0	0	3	5
Kurt Allerman	15	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Rich Turner	4	1	0	0	½	1	0	1
Cliff Lewis	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bill Whitaker	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Byron Braggs	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Randy Scott	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Guy Prather	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0

Harasses: Butler 24, Merrill 23, Johnson 21, Jones 19, Douglass 18, Cumby 5, Anderson 4, Turner 2, Braggs 1, Harvey 1, Murphy 1.
Hurries: Douglass 9, Butler 7, Johnson 5, Merrill 3, Cumby 1, Jones 1, Gray 1, Wingo 1.

The four backups in 1981 — veteran Kurt Allerman and rookies Cliff Lewis, Guy Prather and Randy Scott — had little opportunity to play because the starters were so durable.

They are expected to face stiff competition from draft choices along with veterans Mike Hunt and Paul Rudzinski.

Hunt returned to the Packers in the spring after nearly a two-year absence because of a head injury. A healthy Hunt would be a bonus for the Packers. "He's strong, he's got good speed and he's smart," Marshall says.

But barring injury, Mike Douglass, John Anderson, George Cumby and Rich Wingo figure to be the team's starting linebackers for several years to come.

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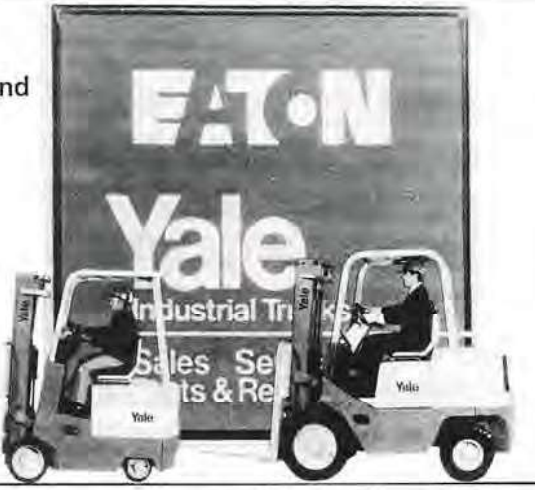

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The Great Fan Comeback of 1981

Linebacker John Anderson thanks fans for support after victory over Lions in Green Bay.

By Don Langenkamp
Green Bay Press-Gazette

Green Bay Packer fans stole Dale Carnegie's playbook last year.

In fact, if Carnegie and his can-do disciples want a classic case study in the power of positive thinking, they would do well to chronicle the amazing emotional tidal wave that engulfed Packer fandom midway through the 1981 season.

After more than a decade when the prevailing moods at Lambeau Field and Milwaukee County Stadium ranged from nastily surly to merely coldly apathetic, Packer fans did everything but don helmets and shoulder pads to get into the home games.

After years of discontented muttering, they banded together and created an atmosphere of positive mayhem.

After stoically grinding their teeth after losses and lending tacit, temporary approval after wins, they junked the hideous notion that football had to be deadly serious.

And as the tumultuous chants of P-A-C-K-E-R-S rolled down from the stands and made visiting teams pause, the Great Fan Comeback of 1981 captured the imagination of the players, and of television network commentators who seemed to relish the idea that hometown fans could, once again, become a 12th player on the field.

Call it happenstance, but the Packers were beleaguered and struggling through the first half of the season. They were 2-6 and winless in four home games. The second half? Beginning

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Coach Bart Starr is embraced by Fan Organizer Ed Thompson in hijinks on field after Packer victory over Lions in Green Bay.

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with that wild, crazy day at Lambeau Field when the fans marshalled their support and the Packers beat the Seattle Seahawks 34-24, they won six of their last eight games.

More significantly, playing to a backdrop of ear-splitting give-'em-hell support, Green Bay won its final four home games.

Happenstance? Perhaps, but don't advance that theory with the Packers' electric wide receiver John Jefferson, or steady center Larry McCarren, or fiery linebacker Rich Wingo.

Coincidence? Sorry, but Coach Bart Starr disagrees. After the din from the stands finally subsided in the wake of the win over Seattle, Starr, who desperately needed a victory to answer ever-mounting criticism, said, "It meant a great deal to our football team. I've never tingled like that on the sidelines in a regular season game in my life. That was sensational."

What brought this born-again enthusiasm back to Packer games? What mysterious force revitalized a sluggish and stagnant attitude that seemed destined to remain until another Super Bowl victory came to Green Bay?

The seed was planted in 1980 by a Green Bay business executive whose vocabulary does not include the word no. Ed Thompson, president of Schneider Transport Co., had had enough. While he strongly felt the presence of a powerful positive force still existed among the legions of Packer fans, he realized a catalyst was needed to make that feeling resurface.

Things were pretty much as usual in the NFC Central Division at the time. The Packers were struggling and the Minnesota Vikings, that week's visitors, were enroute to another division title. But Thompson ignored all that and plunged into organizing an old-fashioned pep rally at the Lambeau Field parking lot the day before the game.

It was a cold, inhospitable late-autumn Saturday, but upwards of 5,000 hardy backers showed up to lend a lusty lungful of support. The next day, the underdog Packers waylaid the Vikings with a 16-3 win.

To nearly everyone, that represented a one-shot deal. To Ed Thompson, it was merely the planting of a seed.

He got help from an entirely unexpected source — a vociferous crowd of Detroit Lions fans who did everything but win the game ball in their team's 31-27 win over Green Bay in the eighth game of 1981. Their lusty and vocal disagreement with the ejection of defensive end William Gay for belatedly blind-siding quarterback Lynn Dickey prompted a lengthy delay as the Packers could not get a play off.

Later, observers agreed it was the game's turning point. The crowd pulled off the play of the game.

With Seattle due in the following Sunday, Thompson went to work the previous Monday morning. While Starr was issuing a call for Detroit-style fan support from his office, Thompson was on the telephone.

He began recruiting think-alike disciples. He cleared the way for cheerleaders from three area colleges to be on the sidelines. He arranged to have dixieland bands in the parking lot and the University of Wisconsin-Green Bay pep band playing underneath the stands inside the gates.

He came up with the organized cheers and he spent the week spreading the gospel. Green Bay would again, Thompson felt, become the league's hallmark of smalltown pride. Packer fans of the '80s would take their rightful place alongside their hat-passing forebearers from decades ago at old City Stadium.

It worked. It worked beyond Thomson's wildest dreams. While his master plan unfolded in letter-perfect fashion with loud chants of support rumbling down from Lambeau Field's seats, it was the phantom fumble that seemed to unify nearly all of the 56,000 present.

A quick official's whistle nullified the theft of the football by Bill Whitaker from a Seahawk kick returner and all the pent-up frustration boiled to the surface. The stadium became a madhouse. As fans vented their ire, the Seahawks stood helplessly on the field, unable to run off a play.

A few Packer players gestured halfheartedly to quiet the din. Others, most notably John Jefferson, tried to raise the cataclysmic racket a few decibels higher. The fans reveled in it. They loved it. They let down their hair and cut loose. And upstairs in the press box, the TV announcers marveled at this wholly unexpected spectacle.

Said a slightly stunned Thompson, who saw his plan work beyond his wildest dreams, "We wanted to get some active fun into the stadium. Life is tough enough right now. On Sundays, people should be able to go to a game and have fun. It's not life or death.

"That feeling was there all along. All it needed was a catalyst. We gave the people a chance to do their number."

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The zany atmosphere in the stands did not go unnoticed among the Packer players. When Rich Wingo picked off a Seahawk pass late in the game and was run out of bounds near the Packer bench, he first clutched the ball and then reconsidered and hurled it into the stands, concluding the performance with a ridiculous pratfall. Section 18, recipient of the ball, roared its approval.

The Seattle game was such a delightful breath of fresh air that Head Cheerleader Thompson and his cohorts decided it deserved encores. The fans had done their number, now they would have a chance to repeat it at each home game.

They did. As the New York Giants fell in Milwaukee and then the Chicago Bears in Green Bay, the fans whooped it up. But it was the home finale against the Detroit Lions that produced one of the more memorable scenes ever to take place at Lambeau Field.

The resurgent Packers, now in playoff contention, easily rolled to a 31-17 laughter over the Lions. It was a good show, one these born-again fans gave vocal acclamation to.

It was also only the first half of a double-feature. After the gun went off, Starr quickly gathered his team together at midfield. His cap askew after a smothering hug from Ed Thompson, he instructed his players to fan out and shake hands with the paying customers in the first row of seats.

There was Mark Koncar eagerly accepting a cup of beer from a fan. There was John Jefferson, riding on the shoulders of fans. There was Paul Coffman smacking the outstretched hands of fans as he headed for the north exit.

"We have received incredible fan support in recent weeks and I just wanted them (the players) to go and thank them" Starr said. "I cannot think of a better way than to touch somebody up close, shake their hand, look them in the eye and tell them you appreciate it."

That appeared to be the parting gesture for 1981, but it wasn't. A week later, after the Packers crushed New Orleans 35-7, a wild scene almost spontaneously developed at Austin Straubel Field when the team's chartered plane landed.

A throng estimated at 5,000, the largest since the championship years of the 1960s, provided a boisterous welcoming committee. Fans parked as far as two miles away from the terminal just to catch a glimpse of the Packers.

The season ended, of course, the next week when the Packer bowed to the New York Jets. But the phenomenon that occurred during those final four home games of 1981 merely went dormant during the offseason and will be back this year.

The Packer organization has taken steps to enhance the collegiate-style atmosphere. The Packer Sideliners — patterned after other NFL teams' cheerleaders — have been disbanded. In their place will be a corps of peppier, more spontaneous cheerleaders who will look like they're fresh off a college campus.

Thompson has discussed his ideas with the Packers and expects them to pick up on many of last year's innovations. Not that he's going to bow out altogether. His grass roots Packer Support Committee is still intact and he expects it to come up with one formal Fan Support Day, complete with a few new wrinkles.

"I certainly remain interested and involved," he said. "We'll have our one Sunday again."

He hopes the fans will have many. All he wants is for them to do their number.

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How Packers Were Built

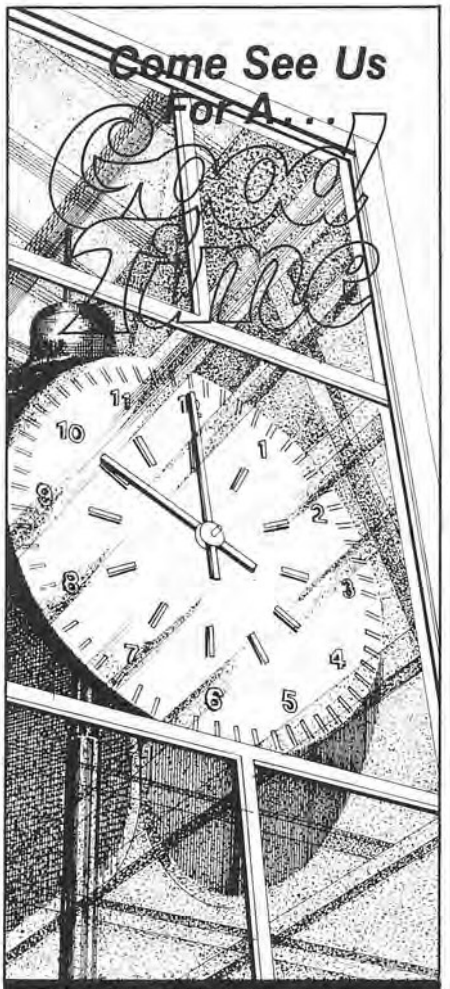
The college player draft has been Coach Bart Starr's major thrust behind the rebuilding of the Packers, but a big additional factor came in 1981 when a trade with the San Diego Chargers produced John Jefferson, one of the NFL's leading pass receivers.

The Jefferson trade is the third of Starr's swaps that is still paying off. The previous two involved quarterback Lynn Dickey, who came from Houston in 1976, and Tackle Tim Stokes, from Washington in 1978. Dickey is the club's No. 1 signalist and Stokes has been a valuable backup in the offensive line for four straight years.

Here, at a glance, are 58 Packers (36 draftees, 17 free agents, three trades and two via waivers) who will be challenged by the 1982 newcomers.

Year	Draft (36)	Trades (3)	Free Agents (17)
1973 5-7-2 3rd, Central	C Larry McCarren (No. 12)		
1974 6-8 3rd, Central	RB Eric Torkelson (No. 11)		
1975 4-10 3rd, Central			DB Johnnie Gray
1976 5-9 4th, Central	T Mark Koncar (No. 1) DB Mike C. McCoy (No. 3)	QB Lynn Dickey (From Houston)	
1977 4-10 4th, Central	DE Mike Butler (No. 1) DE Ezra Johnson (No. 1) T Greg Koch (No. 2) RB Terdell Middleton (No. 3) C Derrel Gofourth (No. 7) QB David Whitehurst (No. 8)		
1978 8-7-1 1st, Central	LB John Anderson (No. 1) WR James Lofton (No. 1) LB Mike Douglass (No. 5) G Leotis Harris (No. 6) DB Estus Hood (No. 3) LB Mike Hunt (No. 2) DT Terry Jones (No. 11)	T Tim Stokes (From Washington)	TE Paul Coffman LB Paul Rudzinski
1979 5-11 4th, Central	**WR** Ron Cassidy (No. 8) RB Eddie Lee Ivery (No. 1) TE John Thompson (No. 9) LB Rich Wingo (No. 7)		DE Casey Merrill
1980 5-10-1 4th, Central	LB George Cumby (No. 1) DB Mark Lee (No. 2) G Syd Kitson (No. 3) WR Fred Nixon (No. 4) G Karl Swanke (No. 6) G-T Buddy Aydelette (No. 7)		LB Kurt Allerman RB Gerry Ellis RB Harlan Huckleby DB Mike Jolly DB Mark Murphy K Jan Stenerud
1981 8-8 2nd, Central	QB Rich Campbell (No. 1) TE Gary Lewis (No. 2) P Ray Stachowicz (No. 3) DT Richard Turner (No. 4) DT Byron Braggs (No. 5) DB Bill Whitaker (No. 7) T Tim Huffman (No. 9) QB Nickie Hall (No. 10) LB Cliff Lewis (No. 12)	WR John Jefferson (From San Diego)	RB Willard Reaves C Charlie Ane RB Jim Jensen T Brad Oates LB Guy Prather G Arland Thompson LB Randy Scott

Waivers (2) Maurice Harvey, 1981 (from Denver); G Chris Godfrey, 1981 (from N.Y. Jets)



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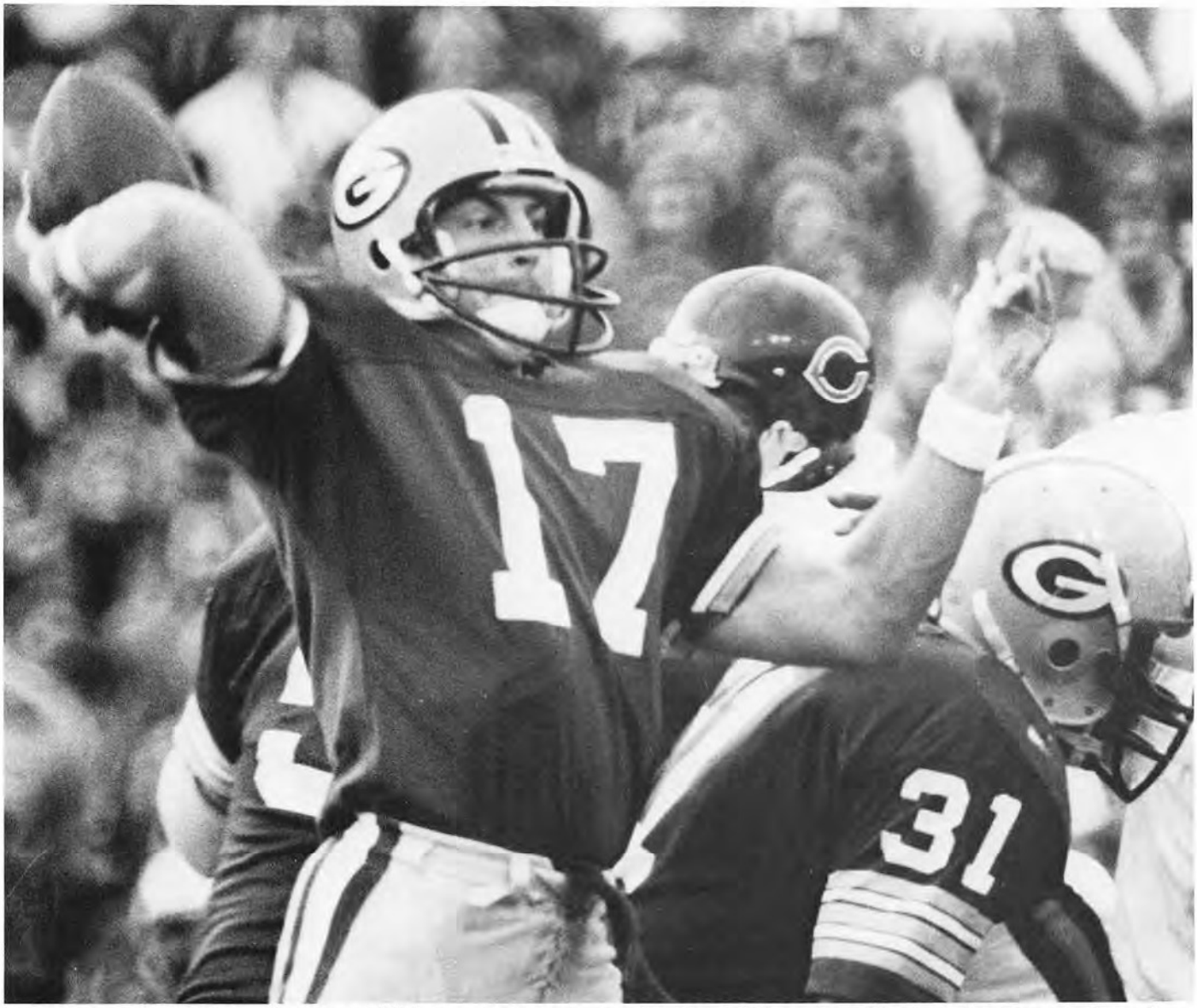

A quarterback and his blocker. David Whitehurst sets to throw while Gerry Ellis waits to block against Bears in Green Bay.

A Good Feeling at Quarterback

"Right now we have two quarterbacks who have proved themselves and we have one who has great potential. I think we're in a better situation than 80% of the other teams in the NFL as far as quarterbacks are concerned."
—James Lofton, May 10, 1982

By Mike Christopulos
The Milwaukee Sentinel

The Green Bay Packers' All-Pro wide receiver may have been exagerating slightly when he made that statement on Jack Baker's radio talk show on WTMJ in Milwaukee last spring.

But his remarks weren't that far off the mark. A lot of knowledgeable people feel pretty good about the Packer quarterback situation, including Bob Schnelker, the team's new offensive coordinator.

Green Bay goes into the 1982 season with two proven quarterbacks — starter Lynn Dickey and backup David Whitehurst. Waiting in the wings is heir apparent Rich Campbell, who was the team's No. 1 draft choice in 1981 and the first quarterback taken in last year's draft.

Also available are Nickie Hall, who spent his rookie year in 1981 on injured reserve after hurting the bicep in his throwing arm, and Dan Manucci, a former Toronto Argonaut.

Schnelker knows a thing or two about quarterbacks. After all, he coached two pretty good ones last year when he served as offensive coordinator of the Detroit Lions — Eric Hipple and Gary Danielson.

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Lynn Dickey works big 31-17 victory over Lions, including Bill Gay, in Green Bay.

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"I think Lynn is better than either one of those guys," said Schnelker. "Dickey's a damn good quarterback when he's healthy and gets any kind of protection. You can count the good quarterbacks on one hand. Dickey rates up there very high production wise."

Dickey rated so high last year that he ranked as the fourth leading passer in the National Football Conference.

Schnelker feels that as a tandem Hipple and Danielson are better than Dickey and Whitehurst. You'd have a hard time convincing Packer fans of that after what happened last season, however.

Dickey and Whitehurst teamed up to have one of the hottest quarterbacks hands in the National Football League during the second half of last season.

They transformed the Packers from a team that won just two of its first eight starts into one that won six of its last eight games.

Surprisingly enough, it was Whitehurst who ignited Green Bay's second half comeback — the same Whitehurst who had been roundly booed whenever he stepped onto the Milwaukee County Stadium turf. The same Whitehurst who hadn't started a game since late in the 1979 season.

Whitehurst was pressed into service in the eighth game of 1981. He got the call after Dickey was viciously speared in the back by Detroit's William Gay and had to leave. If many fans were expecting Whitehurst to fall flat on his face, they were mistaken. Whitehurst nearly pulled the Lion game out. He passed for 243 yards and one touchdown and got the Packers the lead. But the defense couldn't hold it late in the game and the Packers lost, 31-27.

Even though Green Bay lost, the groundwork was laid for the Packers' second half surge. Whitehurst then guided the Packers to three straight victories over the Seahawks, Giants and Bears while Dickey was recuperating.

Whitehurst minimized his role in the Packers' second half heroics.

"I don't necessarily look at me as being the catalyst," said Whitehurst. "I think the team had it in them the whole time.

"Things didn't go very smoothly for me early in the year," he continued. "One of the biggest reasons for that was because people wanted to see Rich Campbell. I'm glad Coach Starr had enough confidence in me to stay with me when there was an opportunity for someone to play other than Lynn."

The 1981 season was a "huge confidence builder" for Whitehurst. It also pleased Whitehurst to hear fans cheering him, for a change, instead of booing him.

Whitehurst said he wasn't trying to prove anything to the fans.

"But in proving things to myself and to my teammates, the fans saw another side of me," Whitehurst pointed out.

The side that fans saw was a Whitehurst who was consistent, but more important one who could produce victories.

"When you put wins together it means a whole lot more than when you're inconsistent," said Whitehurst. "In the past I had a rap of being inconsistent. I felt like I finally got my game together last season."

Despite his impressive showing a year ago, Whitehurst still considers himself as the backup to Dickey. That situation could change, however.

The Packers coddled Campbell a year ago, bringing him along slowly and not exposing the youngster to the harsh facts of life in the NFL. That won't be the case this season.

"We'll take a good look at Campbell in training camp and the exhibition season," said Schnelker.

"I need all the playing and practice time I can get," said Campbell.

Campbell's only extensive playing time during the regular season last season occurred in a disastrous 37-3 loss to Tampa Bay at Tampa. That's a game Campbell would just as soon forget and chalk up to experience.

With Dickey still hobbled, Whitehurst started the Tampa Bay game. Whitehurst pulled a groin muscle late in the first quarter and the Packers had no choice but to call on Campbell. Campbell directed the Packers to two first downs and had the team driving for a possible go-ahead touchdown deep in Buccaneer territory.

That's when Campbell made a typical rookie mistake. Back to pass, Campbell failed to spot his primary receiver, Lofton, who was wide open for what would have been a sure touchdown. Instead, he attempted to throw to tight end Paul Coffman in a congested area.

Buccaneer free safety Cedric Brown

Rich Campbell got chance to play in loss at Tampa Bay.

cut in front of Coffman, picked off Campbell's errant pass and fled 81 yards for a touchdown. That was the beginning of the end for the Packers and Campbell. The Buccaneers swiped three other Campbell passes and sacked him twice. It all added up to a rough baptism to the NFL for the former California star.

Campbell didn't view that debacle as a total loss.

"It wasn't tough at all mentally and physically," Campbell recalled. "I was ready to play. It just turned out to be one of those days. Even though my statistics weren't great, I realized I could play in the NFL.

"I should have thrown that first pass to James," he continued. "It would have been a touchdown. I just threw it to the wrong receiver. I learned that I have to stay with my primary receiver."

For Dickey, the 1981 season was one fraught with a series of aggravating injuries. He was knocked out of four games after hurting his tailbone, elbow, neck and back. His most serious injury occurred at the Silverdome where he was crunched by Gay. He experienced severe headaches, an after-effect of a milogram test he took for his back injury.

Looking back on his ordeal, Dickey said, "I really didn't feel like it was a tough thing for me mentally.

"I was just biding my time and waiting until I recovered physically," he continued. "Mentally, I never played any games with myself."

Dickey did find himself playing games with opposing linemen and dodging such would-be "sack" artists as Mark Gastineau and Joe Klecko.

Dickey isn't very mobile and often was sacked, especially when the protection in Green Bay's erratic offensive line broke down.

Schnelker isn't concerned about Dickey's lack of mobility.

"Dan Fouts can't get out of anybody's way either," said Schnelker, referring to the San Diego Charger star. "But you certainly don't consider him a poor quarterback.

"We can do better for Lynn protection-wise and the surprise element," said Schnelker. "I think he's a very capable quarterback."

It would also help Dickey if the Packers mount a much stronger rushing attack in 1982. Only two teams had worse rushing games than the Packers did a year ago.

"There's no doubt we've got to pick up our running game in order to have a complete offensive attack," said Dickey. "If we don't, you're just sitting back there all day and people get to tee off on you because you've got to throw the football so many times."

If Dickey gets time, he has the option of throwing to the NFL's two most talented wide receivers — Lofton and John Jefferson. Jefferson didn't join the Packers until the fourth game of the regular season a year ago, coming to Green Bay in that complicated trade with the Chargers.

It's bound to help the Packers' passing game to have J.J. around during training camp and in the exhibition season.

"You know how good the Packers got in the second half of last season after he got used to the system and people got used to him," said Schnelker.

"He was the guy that inspired them. It all came together when he got there. He was as big a factor as anybody. At least we felt that way when I was at Detroit last year."

Dickey, in the twilight of his career at 32, envisions some more exciting times for himself and his teammates in 1982.

"I wouldn't have minded at all if we had played for another month and a half last year," said Dickey. "When you're able to finish the year on a pretty strong note like we did, you're anxious to get back."

Still, Dickey realizes that Green Bay's humiliating 28-3 season ending loss to the playoff-bound New York Jets, took some of the luster off the Packers' strong 6-2 finish.

"You need to win those big games," said Dickey. "I still think we have to show we're more consistent playing the playoff-caliber teams. We've got to beat those teams in the regular season."

Until they do, the Packers' fond hopes of making the playoffs will never be realized.

The Passing in 1981

LYNN DICKEY

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Pct. Comp.	Tkd. Yds.	TD	LG	Int.
Sept. 6 At Bears	23	10	165	.434	2/12	0	27	1
Sept. 13 Falcons (GB)	44	30	342	.682	5/42	2	53	3
Sept. 20 At Rams	29	15	125	.517	5/35	1	22	1
Sept. 27 Vikings (Mil.)	33	19	251	.575	7/52	1	24	0
Oct. 4 At Giants	22	17	208	.772	2/16	2	29	1
Oct. 11 Buccaneers (GB)	33	19	219	.575	2/16	0	26	4
Oct. 18 49ers (Mil.)	18	11	156	.611	3/28	0	28	0
Oct. 25 At Lions	7	4	97	.571	0/0	1	46	0
Nov. 8 Giants (Mil.)	27	10	143	.370	1/10	0	24	2
Nov. 29 At Vikings	33	18	294	.545	0/0	3	47	2
Dec. 6 Lions (GB)	31	20	279	.645	2/14	2	46	0
Dec. 13 At Saints	21	19	218	.904	2/16	5	30	0
Dec. 20 At Jets	33	12	96	.363	9/57	0	23	1
Totals	354	204	2593	.576	40/298	17	75	15

DAVID WHITEHURST

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Pct. Comp.	Tkd. Yds.	TD	LG	Int.
Sept. 20 At Rams	5	0	0	.000	1/12	0	00	0
Sept. 27 Vikings (Mil.)	7	3	52	.428	1/16	0	27	0
Oct. 18 49ers (Mil.)	6	3	37	.500	1/2	0	19	1
Oct. 25 At Lions	36	20	243	.555	3/33	1	46	1
Nov. 1 Seahawks (GB)	31	19	205	.612	2/10	3	38	2
Nov. 8 Giants (Mil.)	4	4	60	1.000	1/8	0	41	0
Nov. 15 Bears (GB)	31	11	140	.354	1/7	3	39	1
Nov. 22 At Buccaneers	8	6	55	.750	0/0	0	19	0
Totals	128	66	792	.515	10/78	7	46	5

RICH CAMPBELL

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Pct. Comp.	Tkd. Yds.	TD	LG	Int.
Nov. 22 At Buccaneers	30	15	168	.500	2/11	0	27	5

Coach Bart Starr smiles broadly as final gun approaches in Packers' key victory over Lions in Green Bay.

Bart Starr Says:

Players' Motivation Unchanged

By Lee Remmel
Green Bay Packer Director of Public Relations

Time was when pro football was a simple, uncomplicated game of leather helmets, the single wing and the seven-man line.

Today, a model of sophistication, it is a game of computerized game plans, innumerable formations and multiple defenses. The late Curly Lambeau, the brawny Belgian who founded the Packers on a Green Bay sandlot just after World War I, would be hard put to recognize it.

Yet, despite all the advances, all the innovations and refinements, Bryan Bartlett Starr will tell you there is one thing about his favorite sport that hasn't changed. The players' depth of commitment, he assures, is just as profound as it ever was.

"I don't think there is any difference between the players' motivation today and when I played (1956-71)," the Packers'

professorial head coach says with obvious conviction. "I think there are some people who would have you believe there is, but I don't buy that. Our year-round conditioning programs today demand unique self-motivation. The players who are achieving all-star or all-pro status and playing on championship teams are highly motivated. There are plenty of those around."

A prominent placard behind the black desk chair in his Lombardi Avenue office—one bearing a picture of the late Vince Lombardi and the headline, "What It Takes To be No. 1"—mutely underscores his words.

"I simply feel it's more a case of society changing, and these athletes are mere products or extensions of that society. Some time ago, when a product was marked 'Made in Japan,' it was synonymous with junk. The reverse is true today. Conversely, years ago, 'Made in America' stood for quality. We slipped to the point where that became the exception rather than the rule.

"Now we are cycling back, meeting the challenge of quality competition. You don't legislate against competition, you meet it. I don't think our league could have passed rules and regulations which would have curtailed the progress of the Packers of the '60s or the Steelers of the '70s. The other teams simply had to meet the challenge."

Social changes or not, pride and commitment remain the hallmarks of pro football's most proficient practitioners, Starr is convinced.

"Those who have excelled all had the common trait of a super attitude," he observed. "John Madden was interviewed a few years ago after the Raiders had won the Super Bowl against the Vikings at a time just prior to the draft and TV Guide asked him what he looked for in a college senior eligible to be drafted. He said the two prime ingredients were personal pride and ambition because, if he didn't have those, then they couldn't do anything with him. I agree with that statement but those qualities are mere extensions of a good attitude.

"I also feel that your most consistent performers display the best attitudes. They play just as hard against an average opponent as they do against the perennial all-pro."

To the Packers' highly articulate head man, commitment is no less vital to football success than physical ability.

"You must have ability to play, particularly at this level," he readily concedes. "However, I personally feel if you don't have a flaming desire to excel, you won't play for very long. And therefore commitment is equally important.

"Bob Knight at the University of Indiana believes that five guys, hustling every minute, playing together as a unit, but possessing less talent than five who are not team-oriented and not as committed to winning, will win more games than those with superior talent.

"You can't have too many over-achievers on your football team but it doesn't hurt to have some because they'll simply find a way to beat guys with superior talent."

Had he, Starr was asked, ever played with or coached a player with optimum amounts of both ability and commitment?

"I've seen several through the years. We've had some here. I think one of the finest examples in the past would be Forrest Gregg. He had unique talent, though he was small for a tackle—but he also had a tremendous desire to excel at his position. Jim Taylor was another one. He certainly had a commitment and he had the talent.

"As good an example as you will find on our team today is Mike Douglass who, though he is small by linebacker standards, has unique talent and a very special commitment. The same can be said of James Lofton and J.J. (John Jefferson) on the offensive side of the ball. They are very committed players, possessing rare abilities."

Starr does acknowledge that today's players differ from those of an earlier day in at least one respect. They are, he concedes, more outspoken, more inclined to question authority, and to be more critical than their predecessors.

"That's true," he affirmed. "There isn't enough restraint on the part of some today. I've always believed there was merit in the statement that it's better to remain silent and have someone think you are a fool than to open your mouth and remove all doubt.

"There seems to be more of it today than there was years ago, but that, too, is a reflection of how many conduct themselves in other businesses as well today. The trend is to be more outspoken. It may be related to a general deterio-

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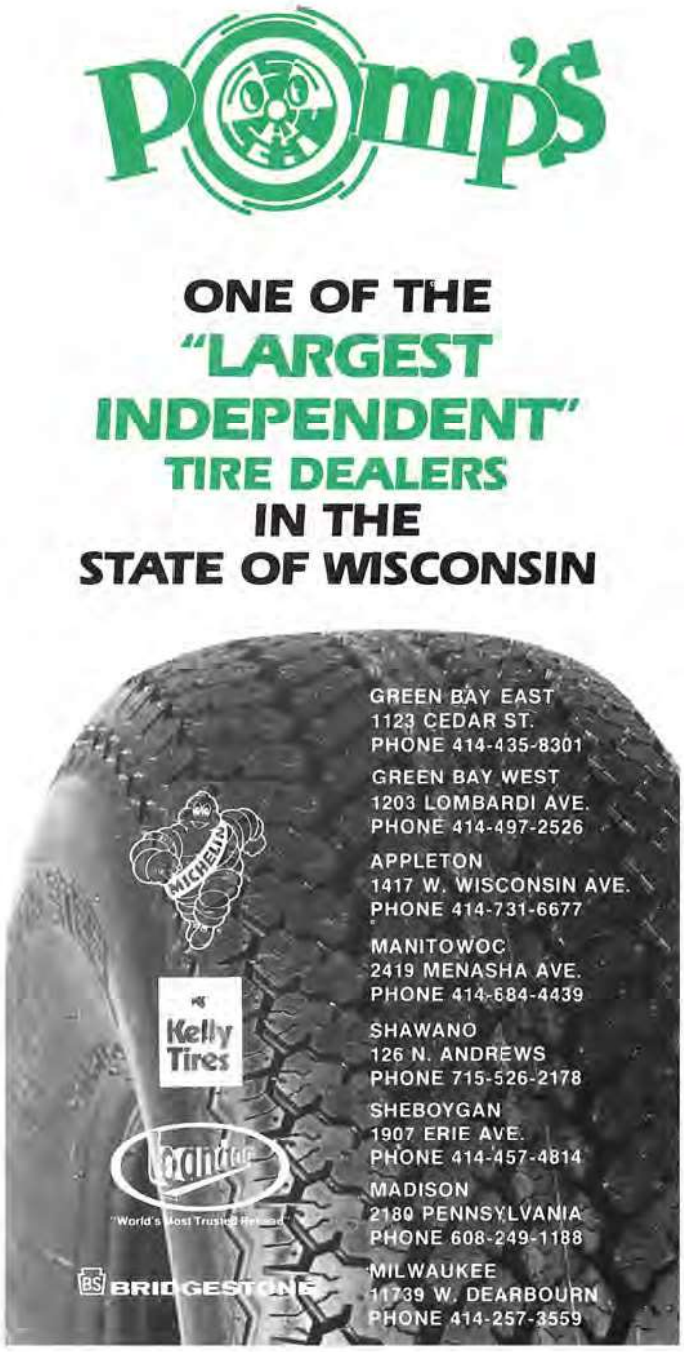

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ration of respect for authority and a lack of loyalty."

Despite this turn of events, Starr doesn't feel the current players are any less tractable from a coaching standpoint than they were during his playing days.

"I don't think they are harder to coach," he said. "I believe it's more of a challenge for you as a coach to develop better communication—to be more thorough in your teaching, to structure a relationship that's open and based on high expectations, exacting exchange of information, so that they know exactly where they stand all the time.

"I believe that, with a relationship built on trust, respect and integrity, you can create a lasting, permanent foundation which will withstand a lot of storms. Like the one which we were operating under last year when we staggered through a first half of the season only to rebound in a surge the second half."

Perhaps surprisingly, the consummate ex-field general says a stronger player union has not complicated matters for him as a coach.

"I think it's simply an adjustment that's part of our game, one which demands understanding on our part that this is the situation in our profession," he said. "I think it's good that we have a players' association. If it's led by quality people who have the best interests of the players at heart, it's a sensible arrangement."

The gentlemanly Alabamian expects another development, a projected new indoor practice building for the Packers, to have a salutary effect upon his players and ease his coaching burden.

"It will contribute significantly to both our physical and psychological well being," he predicted. "Bud Grant said that the greatest benefit the Vikings derived from their new practice building was the ability to maintain their consistency or performance level late in the season. Without that, it's difficult to maintain. You're forced to shorten practices, alter your schedule, and fight a loss of concentration which accompanies extreme weather conditions. You degenerate just when you need consistency the most.

Starr also is sure the addition of racquetball courts to a remodeled and expanded administration building, a project scheduled for completion in early autumn of 1983, will be a boon to the Packer program.

"Will they help? Absolutely," he declared. "You will discover they will be in constant use, and be a great psychological plus for our players and coaches. We've been seeking this for some time in the interest of upgrading our off-season program. Racquetball is a great conditioner and it's certain those living here year-round will benefit from such an addition."

He charitably made no mention of it, but the Packer coach had broken into pro football in 1956 when the Packer dressing room was an exceedingly modest cubicle beneath the weatherbeaten stands at old City Stadium and such luxuries as racquetball courts were unheard of—not to mention an indoor practice building or today's imposing salaries. Did he ever get the feeling he had been born 20 years too soon?

Pausing briefly to ponder the question, 'Number 15' admitted, "I think anyone who has played at a time when your facilities were poorer and your financial opportunities were not in a class with those of today would love to be playing now.

"Realistically, however, all of us who played at this level and are now coaching are delighted to be associated with this great game in our present capacity, because it is the world's most unique sport."

HALL Of FAME

at Canton, Ohio

1963 (CHARTER MEMBERS)
Sammy Baugh, quarterback, 1937-1952
Bert Bell, NFL commissioner, 1946-59
Joe Carr, League President, 1921-39
Dutch Clark, quarterback, 1931-38
Red Grange, halfback, 1925-37
George Halas, player, coach, founder, 1919-67
Mel Hein, center, 1931-45
Fats Henry, tackle, 1920-30
Cal Hubbard, tackle, 1927-36
Don Hutson, end, 1935-45
Curly Lambeau, player, coach, founder, 1919-56
Tim Mara, founder, 1925-59
George Marshall, founder, 1937-69
John Blood, halfback, 1925-39
Bronko Nagurski, fullback, tackle, 1930-43
Ernie Nevers, fullback, 1925-37
Jim Thorpe, halfback, 1915-26

1964
George Trafton, center, 1920-32
Ed Healey, tackle, 1920-27
Jimmy Conzelman, player, coach, 1920-48
Link Lyman, tackle, 1922-34
Mike Michalske, guard, 1927-37
Clarke Hinkle, fullback, 1932-41
Art Rooney, founder, 1933-Present

1965
Guy Chamberlain, player, coach, 1919-28
Paddy Driscoll, player, coach, 1919-64
Danny Fortmann, guard, 1936-46
Otto Graham, quarterback, 1946-55
Sid Luckman, quarterback, 1939-50
Steve Van Buren, halfback, 1944-51
Bob Waterfield, quarterback, 1945-52

1966
Bill Dudley, halfback, 1942-53
Joe Guyon, halfback, 1921-27
Arnie Herber, halfback, 1930-41, 1944-45
Wall Kiesling, tackle, coach, 1926-56
George McAfee, halfback, 1940-50
Steve Owen, tackle, coach, 1924-56
Shorty Ray, statistician, 1938-56
Bulldog Turner, center, 1940-52

1967
Chuck Bednarik, center, LB, 1949-62
Charles Bidwell, founder, 1933-47
Paul E. Brown, coach, 1946-62, 1969-1976
Bobby Layne, quarterback, 1948-62
Daniel F. Reeves, founder, 1941-71
Ken Strong, halfback, 1929-47
Joe Stydahar, tackle, 1936-46
Emlen Tunnell, halfback, 1948-61

1968
Cliff Battles, halfback, 1932-37
Art Donovan, tackle, 1950-61
Elroy Hirsch, end, 1946-57
Wayne Millner, end, 1936-45
Marion Motley, fullback, 1946-55
Charles Trippi, halfback, 1947-55
Alex Wojciechowicz, center, 1938-50

1969
Turk Edwards, tackle, 1932-40
Greasy Neale, player, coach, 1915-20, 1941-49
Leo Nomellini, tackle, 1950-63
Joe Perry, halfback, 1948-63
Ernie Stautner, tackle, 1950-63

1970
Hugh McElhenny, halfback, 1942-64
Jack Christiansen, halfback, 1951-58
Tom Fears, end, 1948-56
Pete Pihos, end, 1947-55

1971
Vince Lombardi, coach, 1959-67, 1969
Jim Brown, fullback, 1957-65
Andy Robustelli, end, 1951-64
Y.A. Tittle, quarterback, 1948-64
Norm Van Brocklin, quarterback, 1949-60
Bill Hewitt, end, 1932-39, 1943
Bruiser Kinard, tackle, 1938-44, 1946-47

1972
Lamar Hunt, founder, 1960-Present
Ollie Matson, halfback, 1952-66
Gino Marchetti, end, 1952-64, 1966
Ace Parker, halfback, 1937-41, 1945-46

1973
Raymond Berry, end, 1955-67
Jim Parker, guard-tackle, 1957-67
Joe Schmidt, linebacker, 1953-65

1974
Tony Canadeo, halfback, 1941-44, 1946-52
Bill George, linebacker, 1952-65
Lou Groza, tackle, kicker, 1946-59, 1961-67
Dick Lane, defensive back, 1952-65

1975
George Connor, tackle-LBer, 1948-55
Roosevelt Brown, tackle, 1953-66
Dante Lavelli, end, 1946-56
Lenny Moore, halfback, 1955-67

1976
Jim Taylor, fullback, 1958-67
Len Ford, end, 1948-58
Ray Flaherty, player, coach, 1926-35, 36-42, 46-49

1977
Bart Starr, quarterback, 1956-71
Forrest Gregg, tackle, 1956, 1958-71
Frank Gifford, halfback, 1952-60, 1962-63
Gale Sayers, halfback, 1965-71
Bill Willis, guard, 1946-53

1978
Ray Nitschke, linebacker, 1958-72
Lance Alworth, end, 1962-72
Weeb Ewbank, coach, 1958-73
Larry Wilson, defensive back, 1960-72
Tuffy Leemans, back, 1936-43

1979
Dick Butkus, linebacker, 1965-73
Yale Lary, defensive back, 1952-53, 1956-64
Ron Mix, tackle, 1960-69
Johnny Unitas, quarterback, 1956-73

1980
Herb Adderley, defensive back, 1961-72
Deacon Jones, defensive end, 1961-73
Bob Lilly, defensive tackle, 1961-74
Jim Otto, center, 1960-74

1981
Willie Davis, defensive end, 1960-69
Jim Ringo, center, 1953-67
George Blanda, quarterback-kicker, 1949-58, 1960-75
Morris (Red) Badgro, 1927, 1930-36

1982
George Musso, guard-tackle, 1933-44
Doug Atkins, defensive end, 1953-69
Merlin Olsen, tackle, 1962-76
Sam Huff, linebacker, 1956-67

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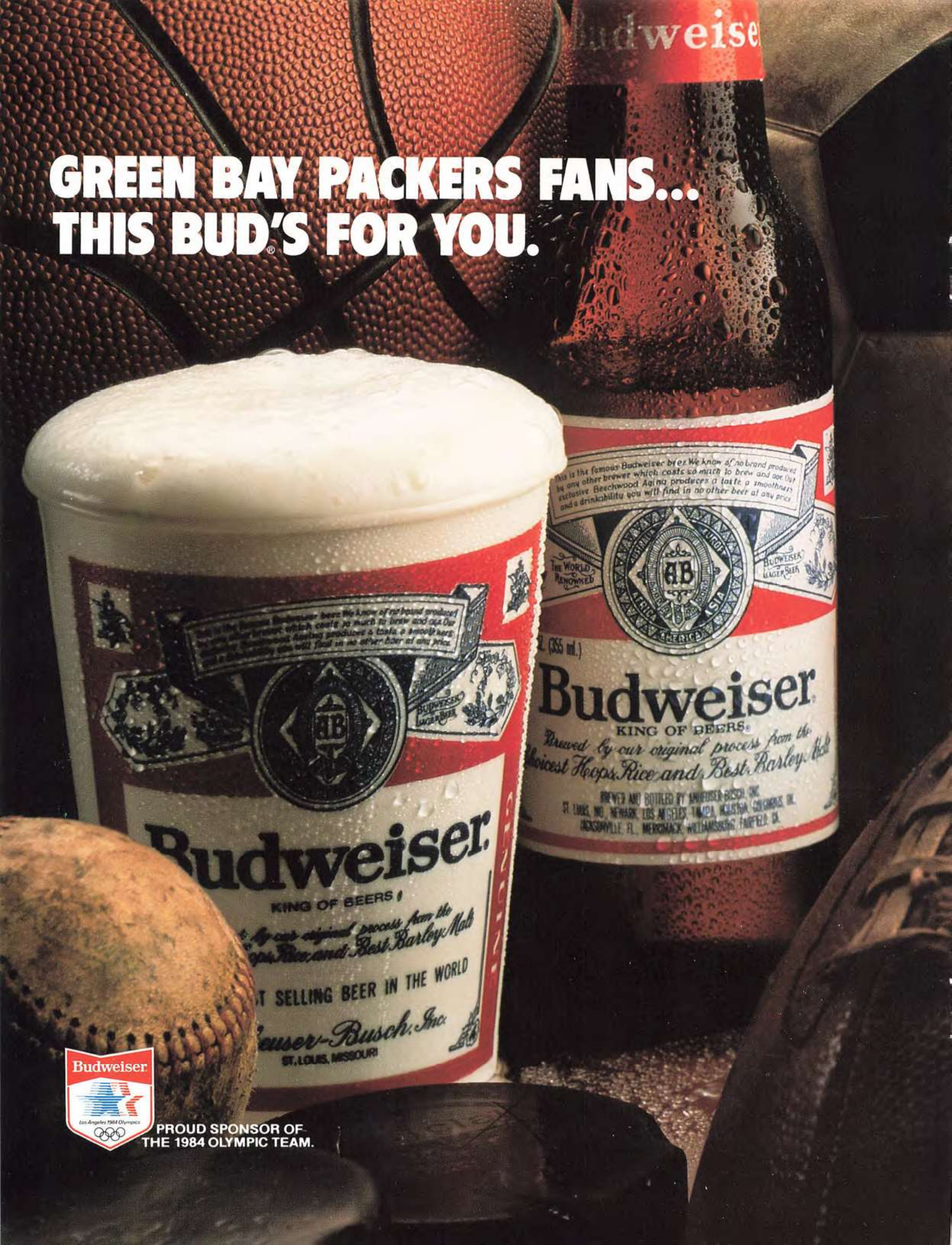
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Eddie Lee: I'll Be A Smarter Runner

Eddie Lee Ivery stretches out in mini-camp in May.

This could be a critical year for Eddie Lee Ivery and perhaps even the Packers' rushing attack.

Eddie Lee, the Pack's first draft choice in 1979, was knocked out of two of his three seasons—both in the NFL openers against the Bears in Chicago.

A damaging knee injury shortly after the opening kickoff ruined his rookie season. He charged back beautifully in 1980 and gained 831 yards rushing, averaging 4.1, and caught 50 passes.

The Packers expected big things from Ivery in '81 but alas he injured the same knee again. The ligament he tore was repaired with a tendon transplant from his leg shortly after the game.

Ivery worked all last season and during the winter on Trainer Domenic Gentile's carefully planned rehabilitation program. He started jogging last winter and on March 8 started sprinting. During the May mini-camp Ivery ran eighteen 40-yard sprints and did a lot of cutting and twisting on his surgically-repaired knee.

Eddie Lee entered the season feeling good about his chances of regaining his old form but he says he'll change some.

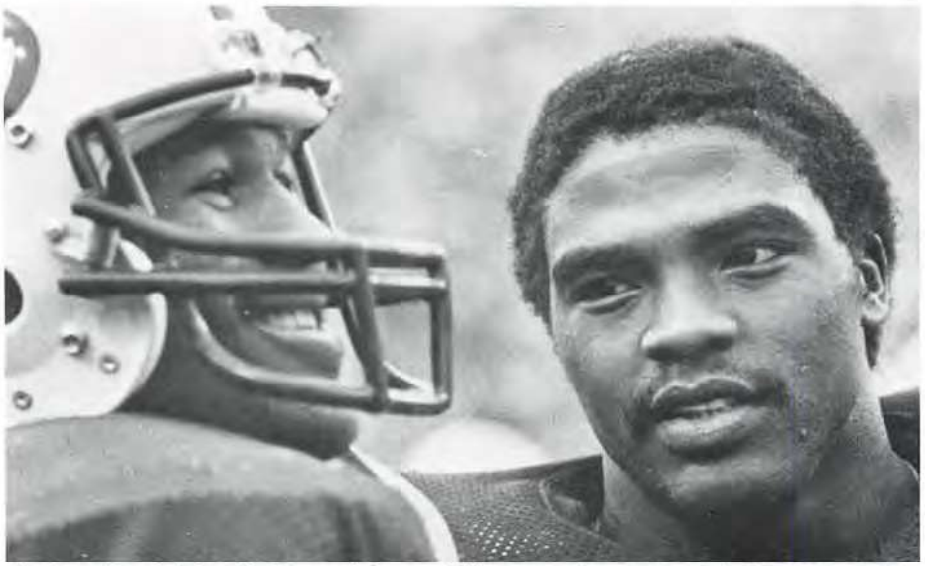
"I think I'll be a smarter runner. I'm going to use my blockers a lot more. I'm going to run around defenders instead of over them. I'm not softening my approach. I'm just getting smarter," Ivery said.

Ivery is in love with the game of football and that makes his comeback easier.

"It's kind of crazy to say you love getting hit, but I love the game. I've been playing it all my life. I've always reached for the moon. If I can't make it, at least I'll make it to the stars," Ivery said last spring.

A healthy Ivery would be a big key to the Pack's offense. The Bay rushing attack was 27th in the league on total yards in 1981, being crippled right at the start with Ivery's setback. Gerry Ellis gained 860 yards rushing last year, averaging 4.4. Harlan Huckleby and Terdell Middleton, sharing Ivery's spot, barely averaged three yards a carry.

That foursome has returned—plus Eric Torkelson and Jim Jensen. Some help may come from running backs Del (Popcorn) Rodgers, a third round draft choice, and Mike Meade, a No. 5.



Harlan Huckleby (left) and Gerry Ellis together scored 15 TD's in 1981.

YOUR 1982 PACKERS

THE VETERANS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	NFL Exp.	Birth Date	Birthplace	College	Residence
60	ALLERMAN, Kurt	LB	6-2	222	6	8/30/55	Glenridge, N.J.	Penn State	Ballwin, Mo.
59	ANDERSON, John	LB	6-3	221	5	2/14/56	Waukesha, Wis.	Michigan	New Berlin, Wis.
61	ANE, Charlie	C	6-1	237	8	8/12/52	Los Angeles, Cal.	Michigan St.	Honolulu, Hawaii
62	AYDELETTE, Buddy	T	6-4	250	2	8/19/56	Mobile, Ala.	Alabama	Green Bay, Wis.
73	BRAGGS, Byron	DT	6-4	290	2	10/10/59	Montgomery, Ala.	Alabama	Tuscaloosa, Ala.
77	BUTLER, Mike	DE	6-5	265	6	4/4/54	Washington, D.C.	Kansas	Madison, Wis.
19	CAMPBELL, Rich	QB	6-4	224	2	12/22/58	Miami, Fla.	California	Oakland, Cal.
88	CASSIDY, Ron	WR	6-0	185	4	7/23/57	Ventura, Cal.	Utah State	Green Bay, Wis.
36	CHAPMAN, Clarence	DB	5-10	185	6	12/10/53	Detroit, Mich.	Eastern Mich.	Detroit, Mich.
82	COFFMAN, Paul	TE	6-3	218	5	3/29/56	St. Louis, Mo.	Kansas State	Chase, Kan.
52	CUMBY, George	LB	6-½	215	3	7/5/56	LaRue, Tex.	Oklahoma	Green Bay, Wis.
	DE LOACH, Ralph	DT	6-5	255	3	1/13/57	Sacramento, Cal.	California	Sacramento, Cal.
12	DICKEY, Lynn	QB	6-4	220	12	10/19/49	Osawatomie, Kan.	Kansas State	Lenexa, Kan.
53	DOUGLASS, Mike	LB	6-0	224	5	3/15/55	St. Louis, Mo.	San Diego St.	San Diego, Cal.
31	ELLIS, Gerry	RB	5-11	216	3	11/12/57	Columbia, Mo.	Missouri	Green Bay, Wis.
98	GODFREY, Chris	G	6-3	250	2	5/17/58	Detroit, Mich.	Michigan	Green Bay, Wis.
57	GOFOURTH, Derrel	G	6-3	260	6	3/20/55	Parsons, Kan.	Oklahoma State	Stillwater, Okla.
24	GRAY, Johnnie	FS	5-11	185	7	12/18/53	Lake Charles, La.	Cal.-Fullerton	De Pere, Wis.
69	HARRIS, Leotis	G	6-1	267	5	6/28/55	Little Rock, Ark.	Arkansas	Little Rock, Ark.
23	HARVEY, Maurice	S	5-10	190	4	1/14/56	Cincinnati, Ohio	Ball State	Denver, Colo.
38	HOOD, Estus	CB	5-11	180	3	11/14/55	Hattiesburg, Miss.	Illinois State	Kankakee, Ill.
25	HUCKLEBY, Harlan	RB	6-1	199	3	12/30/57	Detroit, Mich.	Michigan	Detroit, Mich.
74	HUFFMAN, Tim	T	6-5	277	2	8/31/59	Canton, Ohio	Notre Dame	Green Bay, Wis.
	HUNT, Mike	LB	6-2	240	4	10/6/56	Madison, Wis.	Minnesota	Big Stone City, N.D.
40	IVERY, Eddie Lee	RB	6-1	210	3	7/30/57	McDuffie, Ga.	Georgia Tech	Decatur, Ga.
83	JEFFERSON, John	WR	6-1	198	5	2/3/56	Dallas, Tex.	Arizona State	San Diego, Cal.
33	JENSEN, Jim	RB	6-3	235	6	11/28/53	Waterloo, Iowa	Iowa	Engelwood, Colo.
90	JOHNSON, Ezra	DE	6-4	240	6	10/2/55	Shreveport, La.	Morris Brown	Shreveport, La.
21	JOLLY, Mike	S	6-3	185	2	3/19/58	Detroit, Mich.	Michigan	Green Bay, Wis.
63	JONES, Terry	NT	6-2	259	5	11/8/56	Sandersville, Ga.	Alabama	University, Ala.
64	KITSON, Syd	G	6-4	252	2	9/27/58	Orange, N.J.	Wake Forest	Winston-Salem, N.C.
68	KOCH, Greg	T	6-4	265	6	6/14/55	Bethesda, Md.	Arkansas	Green Bay, Wis.
79	KONCAR, Mark	T	6-5	268	6	5/5/53	Murray, Utah	Colorado	Boulder, Colo.
22	LEE, Mark	CB	5-11	187	3	3/20/58	Hanford, Cal.	Washington	Bellevue, Wash.
56	LEWIS, Cliff	LB	6-1	226	2	11/9/59	Brewton, Ala.	So. Mississippi	Green Bay, Wis.
81	LEWIS, Gary	TE	6-5	234	2	12/30/58	Mt. Pleasant, Tex.	Texas-Arlington	Arlington, Tex.
28	LIVERS, Virgil	CB	5-9	183	7	3/26/52	Bardstown, Ky.	Eastern Kentucky	Buffalo Grove, Ill.
80	LOFTON, James	WR	6-3	187	5	7/5/56	Los Angeles, Cal.	Stanford	Little Rock, Ark.
18	MANUCCI, Dan	QB	6-2	195	3	9/3/57	Erie, Pa.	Kansas State	Tempe, Ariz.
43	MATTHEWS, Ira	RB	5-8½	178	4	8/23/57	Rockford, Ill.	Wisconsin	Houston, Tex.
54	McCARREN, Larry	C	6-3	238	10	11/9/51	Chicago, Ill.	Illinois	Green Bay, Wis.
29	McCOY, Mike C.	CB	5-11	183	7	8/16/53	W. Memphis, Ark.	Colorado	Canoga Park, Cal.
78	MERRILL, Casey	DE	6-4	255	4	7/16/57	Oakland, Cal.	Cal.-Davis	Diablo, Cal.
34	MIDDLETON, Terdell	RB	6-0	195	6	4/8/55	Memphis, Tenn.	Memphis State	Memphis, Tenn.
37	MURPHY, Mark	FS	6-2	199	2	4/22/58	Canton, Ohio	West Liberty	N. Canton, Ohio
84	NIXON, Fred	WR	5-11	191	3	9/22/58	Camila, Ga.	Oklahoma	Green Bay, Wis.
72	OATES, Brad	T	6-6	275	4	9/30/53	Mesa, Ariz.	Brigham Young	Provo, Utah
51	PRATHER, Guy	LB	6-2	230	2	3/28/58	Olney, Md.	Grambling	Gaithersburg, Md.
58	RUDZINSKI, Paul	LB	6-1	220	4	7/28/56	Detroit, Mich.	Michigan St.	Green Bay, Wis.
55	SCOTT, Randy	LB	6-1	220	2	1/31/59	Atlanta, Ga.	Alabama	Tuscaloosa, Ala.
16	STACHOWICZ, Ray	P	5-11	185	2	3/6/59	Cleveland, Ohio	Michigan St.	Broadview Hts., Ohio
10	STENERUD, Jan	K	6-2	190	16	11/26/43	Fetsund, Norway	Montana State	Overland Park, Kan.
76	STOKES, Tim	T	6-5	252	9	3/16/50	Oakland, Cal.	Oregon	Eugene, Ore.
67	SWANKE, Karl	T-G	6-6	251	3	12/29/57	Elmhurst, Ill.	Boston College	Newington, Conn.
71	THOMPSON, Arland	G	6-4	265	2	9/19/57	Lockney, Tex.	Baylor	Aurora, Colo.
87	THOMPSON, John	TE	6-3	228	3	1/18/57	Jackson, Miss.	Utah State	Oakland, Cal.
26	TORKELSON, Eric	RB	6-2	210	9	3/3/52	Troy, N.Y.	Connecticut	Green Bay, Wis.
85	TURNER, Rich	DT	6-2	260	2	2/14/59	Hugo, Okla.	Oklahoma	Norman, Okla.
30	WHITAKER, Bill	CB	6-0	182	2	11/18/59	Kansas City, Mo.	Missouri	Columbia, Mo.
17	WHITEHURST, David	QB	6-2	204	6	4/27/55	Baumholder, Germany	Furman	Decatur, Ga.
50	WINGO, Rich	LB	6-1	230	4	7/16/56	Elkhart, Ind.	Alabama	Green Bay, Wis.

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Boyd, Thomas	LB	6-2	210	Alabama	D-8
Brown, Robert	LB	6-2	238	VPI	D-4
Buggs, Warnon	WR	6-2	200	Vanderbilt	FA
Cathey, James	T	6-4	260	Tulane	FA
Christian, Marvin	FB	6-0	222	Tulane	FA
Davidson, James	LB	6-4	247	Kansas St.	FA
Driscoll, Philip	DE	6-4½	250	Mankato St.	FA
Epps, Phillip	WR	5-10	165	Tex. Christian	D-12
Frageorgia, David	WR/KR	6-0	192	Rhode Island	FA
Freeman, Britt	WR	5-11	192	Montana State	FA
Garcia, Eddie	K	5-8	188	Southern Methodist	D-10
Hafner, Kerry	TE	6-1	228	Wis.-Stout	FA
Hall, Nickie	QB	6-4	205	Tulane	('81) D-10
Hallstrom, Ron	G	6-6	286	Iowa	D-1
Macaulay, John	C	6-3	254	Stanford	D-11
Meade, Mike	FB	5-10½	228	Penn State	D-5
Parlavecchio, Chet	LB	6-2	225	Penn State	D-6
Pfohl, Lawrence	G	6-3	270	Miami	FA
Pittard, Robert	P	6-3	195	McMurray	FA
Reaves, Willard	RB	5-11½	198	Northern Arizona	FA
Riggins, Charlie	DE	6-3	245	Bethune-Cookman	D-9
Rodgers, Del	RB	5-10½	197	Utah	D-3
Rubens, Larry	C	6-1	253	Montana State	FA
Sible, Scott	WR	5-10½	184	No. Michigan St.	FA
Speelman, Brian	K	5-11	185	Capital University	FA
Vitali, Tony	G	6-3	262	Cen. Michigan	FA
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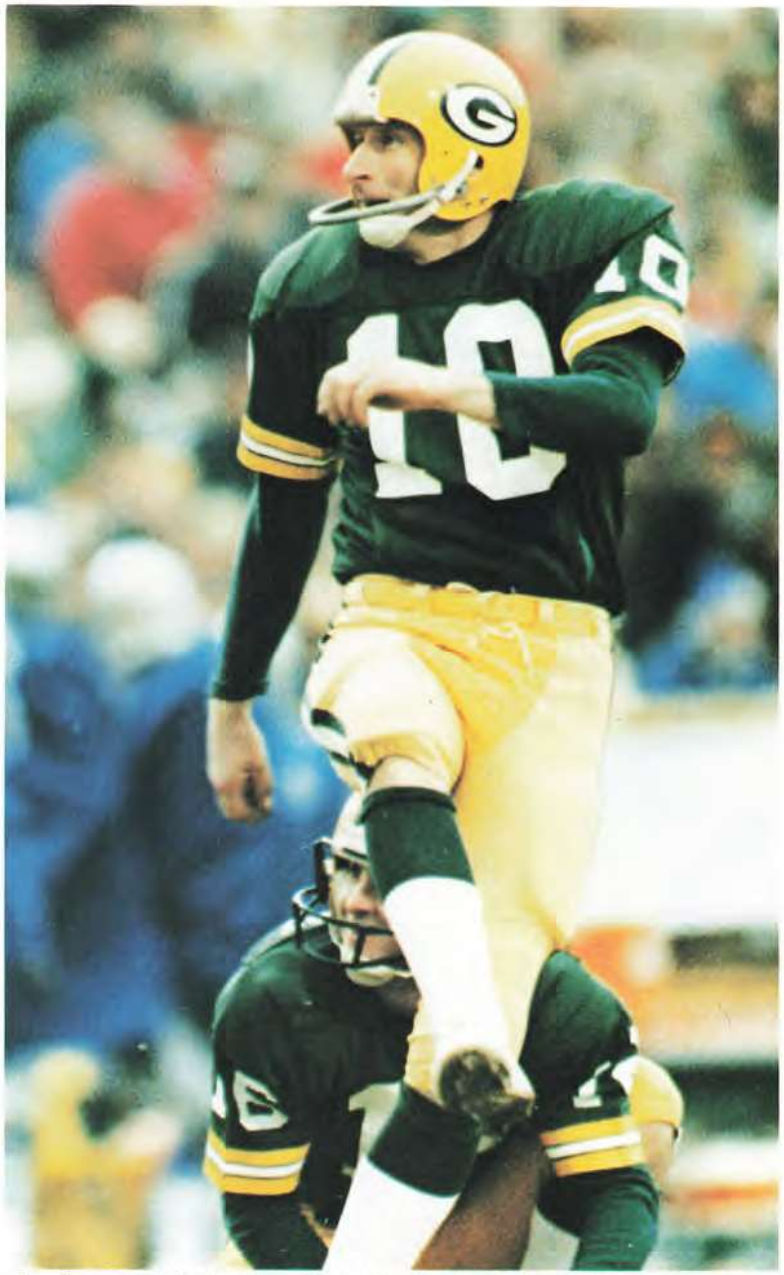

Jan Stenerud looks intently at the flight of the ball as he kicks one of his 22 field goals in 1981. Holder is Ray Stachowicz.

Jan's Secret: Concentration

By Rob Schultz, Madison Freelance Writer

As a youngster in Norway, Jan Stenerud had a daily routine.

For part of the day, he would spend a few hours in his backyard trying to kick a soccer ball past his brother, who aspired to be a professional goalie.

During the other part of the day, Stenerud practiced his ski jumping. It was a sport of endless concentration that required much repetition. But Stenerud didn't care. All he could think about was fulfilling his dream of making the Norwegian ski team.

Stenerud had not yet heard of football. In fact, he didn't watch his first game until after he came to the United States to attend Montana State on a skiing scholarship. But little did Stenerud know that through his daily routine as a youngster, he had developed all the tools necessary to become one of the greatest placekickers ever to perform in the National Football League.

Entering his 16th season in the NFL, the Green Bay Packers' ace kicker's accomplishments are many. Last year, for instance, he made 22 of 24 field goal attempts for a 91.7 percent average, breaking an 18-year-old record for field goal accuracy previously held by Lou Groza, who had made 23 of 26 attempts in 1953. Stenerud also scored 101 points in 1981, the sixth time in his career that he has gone over the century mark in a single season. Only three other

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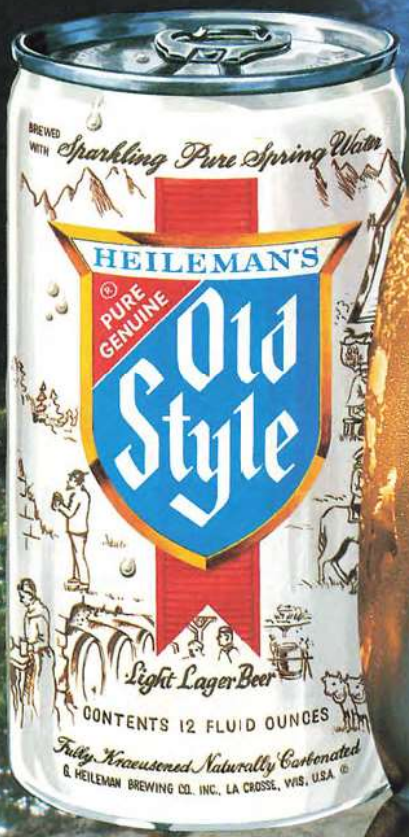

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kickers — Gino Cappeletti, George Blanda and Groza — have accomplished such a feat.

The dean of all active NFL kickers, Stenerud is also the leading active NFL scorer with 1,344 points. He trails only Blanda (2,002), Jim Turner (1,439), Jim Bakken (1,380), Fred Cox (1,365), and Groza (1,349) on the all-time list. Stenerud also is tied with Turner for second place on the all-time career field goal list with 304. Blanda is the leader with 335.

Stenerud has been successful for a decade and one-half because of his consistently accurate, strong leg. He can thank his endless hours of soccer practice for his leg strength. And he can thank his career as a champion ski jumper for providing the concentration needed to become both consistent and accurate.

"I know this," says the 38-year-old Stenerud, "if it hadn't been for my ski jumping background — all the competition and pressure involved — I wouldn't have survived my first or second training camp. It's tough when teams line up three or four of the best kickers they can find each year against you. My ski jumping experience helped me tremendously in that respect. That, along with the fact that I had a strong leg from playing soccer with my brother, couldn't have given me a better background for the job I have.

"But," he added with a laugh, "I had no idea at the time that the job existed."

The twist of fate that led to Stenerud's eventual rise to an all-pro kicker started on a late autumn day during his junior year at Montana State. While running the steps inside the stadium, he watched the placekickers from the college team practicing and decided to join them.

Stenerud admits he had little interest in football at the time. "I only went to the games on Saturday afternoon because it was the thing to do," he says. But kicking a football intrigued him, so he started experimenting with different styles.

Stenerud found kicking the ball in the traditional, straight-on style difficult. "I didn't have much success," he said. "The football was hard and I had tennis shoes on."

The trim Norwegian then tried to kick the ball with the side of his foot — a style he found much more comfortable due to his days of playing soccer. After a few kicks, he was discovered by the Montana State basketball coach. "He then got a hold of the football coach, Jim Sweeney, and Sweeney hollered at me to come down to practice," Stenerud recalled.

Sweeney liked what he saw in Stenerud and he suited him up for the team's final home game of the season. After his teammates saw him practicing, they told Stenerud about a kicker named Pete Gogolak who was making NFL history by kicking the ball just the way Stenerud was. "They told me I could make the pros," he said. "I knew it was a longshot, but I decided to try it anyway."

Stenerud, who ended up playing for two seasons at Montana State due to the old red shirt rule, was drafted by both the Kansas City Chiefs (in a supplemental draft following his first year) and the Atlanta Falcons. He picked the Chiefs because they had a history of winning.

It proved to be a wise decision. He was a key player in the Chiefs' 1970 Super Bowl victory over the Minnesota Vikings. He loved Kansas City. "Football was the only game in town, the community was football nutty in the late 60s," Stenerud said. "It was a great place to live back in those days. That's why Green Bay was so much fun last year, it sort of reminded me of those years back in Kansas City in the late 60s."

Punter Ray Stachowicz, who holds the ball for Jan Stenerud's kicks, shows how he gets all of his leg in his punts.

After 13 seasons, however, the Chiefs decided they had had enough of Stenerud. In the final week of the pre-season, coach Marv Levy told him the Chiefs were going to keep newcomer Nick Lowery instead. Stenerud, who had a good year in 1980 and had kicked well in the pre-season, was shocked.

"Sure I was shocked, but I was more mad than anything else," he said. "It was my 14th year in camp and I had no indication that it was coming. It wasn't until later that I realized that my release was pre-determined. The Chiefs were rebuilding and they wanted some new blood. They knew throughout the entire camp that they were going to cut me. I was disappointed that they didn't call me in and level with me. At least they could have given me a chance to go somewhere else earlier, instead of putting me on waivers the week before the season starts.

"When you are cut after playing for a team for 14 years, the team is basically telling everyone that you can't perform."

Stenerud knew that wasn't true. "But I had a hard time convincing some people of that. Even my friends thought I wasn't kicking as well as I had. They all came up with different philosophies as to why I was cut."

Nevertheless, instead of trying to prove everyone wrong immediately following his release, Stenerud decided to retire. Several teams contacted him for possible tryouts, but Stenerud said he wasn't interested. Later on in the season, Stenerud changed his mind. The problem, however, was that nobody needed him.

So Stenerud got busy. He made himself a kicking film and put the finishing touches on a kicking tee that he now manufactures out of the Kansas City area where he makes his home. He sharpened his golf game — especially on Sundays when he went to the links rather than watch his old teammates playing football on television.

Almost as soon as Stenerud got used to his retirement from football, interest in the veteran kicker grew again. Cleveland needed a kicker badly and they tried to convince the Norwegian to come out of retirement. Stenerud declined. "By the time Cleveland called, I had pretty much made up my mind that I didn't want to get caught hanging in between and hoping to go someplace," he said. "I felt I had to make the break."

But the phone didn't stop ringing. This time the Packers, who had given up on a kicker named Tom Birney, was calling. Once again, Stenerud gave the Packers a firm "No." But then John Erickson called and tried to convince him otherwise. Erickson, a former Wisconsin Badgers basketball coach and general manager of the Milwaukee Bucks, lived in Kansas City and was a golfing buddy of Stenerud's. Employed as the Packers' ambassador in charge of luring Stenerud to the team, Erickson, along with the Green Bay coach Bart Starr, spent a great deal of time trying to change Stenerud's mind. Finally, after some soul searching, Stenerud agreed to sign a contract for the duration of the season.

"I realized Green Bay was the easiest place in the NFL to fail because of the conditions there. But I felt I could do it. Maybe there was something in it where I wanted to show my friends that I wasn't done after 13 years."

It didn't take him long to find out he had made a good move. "My wife and I went up to Green Bay for that last month and we met an awful lot of good people," he said. "I also got along real well with the players on the team and the coaches and the fans."

A desire to reach a goal he had set for himself five years earlier lured Stenerud back to the Packers in 1981. "When I was in the league about 10 years, I had a goal to make it 15 years," he said. "Then I could look back and say I held onto one of the 28 kicking jobs in the NFL for 15 years. A kicking job in the NFL is hard to hold onto. There are a lot of great kickers coming out of college and all over the world for that matter. So to hold onto a job like that for so many years, I felt was an accomplishment."

The Packers couldn't have been happier with his return. Staying in a groove throughout the season, Stenerud had as fine a season as a kicker can possibly have.

"I made up my mind in training camp that I wasn't going to change a thing," he said, explaining his success. "Kicking is similar to golf or tennis — every once in awhile you feel the need to adjust your swing. Well, I wasn't going to do that. I was just going to find a groove, which is easier said than done, and try to stay with it all season long."

Stenerud also said his fear of the kicking conditions at Green Bay and Milwaukee helped him. "The ground can be frozen at any time and you even have to kick off the infield when you play at Milwaukee," he added. "When it gets cold, the ball is as hard as a rock. So I survived through total concentration on every attempt. That's the only way to survive."

Stenerud's ability to concentrate is probably one of the biggest reasons why he has remained so accurate for 15 years. While most kickers fall into mental lapses in their careers, Stenerud has remained consistently accurate through the concentration he developed as a ski jumper. For his career, Stenerud has made better than 65 percent of his field goal attempts — ranking him as one of the most accurate placekickers in the history of the NFL.

"I guess the most important thing a kicker must realize is that he can never take anything for granted," he said. "I try as hard as I can all the time and never take any chances. There have been times when I've been off, but I've been fortunate that I haven't let it happen two games in a row, or to the point where I felt I was on shaky ground.

Stenerud has also been successful because he refuses to dwell on the negative or the past. For instance, the lean Norwegian will probably always be remembered for his performance in the famous AFC playoff game between Kansas City and Miami on Christmas in 1971. That game — the longest in NFL history — lasted more than 82 minutes, or six quarters. The Chiefs had several chances to win, but Stenerud missed three clutch field goal attempts in the final minute of regulation and in the overtime periods. Eventually, the Dolphins won, 27-24.

The game marked one of the few times in Stenerud's career when he failed to come through in the clutch. And it almost forced him into an early retirement. "I was going to quit," he said. "But then I realized there was no way to meet the challenge by giving up."

That is all Stenerud will discuss of the subject. "If the press quit bringing it up, we wouldn't have to worry about it," he says. "It's been 10 years since it happened and I still hear about it occasionally. The less that is said about it, the better a kicker I'll be. It doesn't help my performance any to think or talk about it."

There is no doubt that the Packers will be more than happy to abide by his wishes. Stenerud is looking forward to the 1982 season, and he said if all goes well, he'd love to come back in 1983, too.

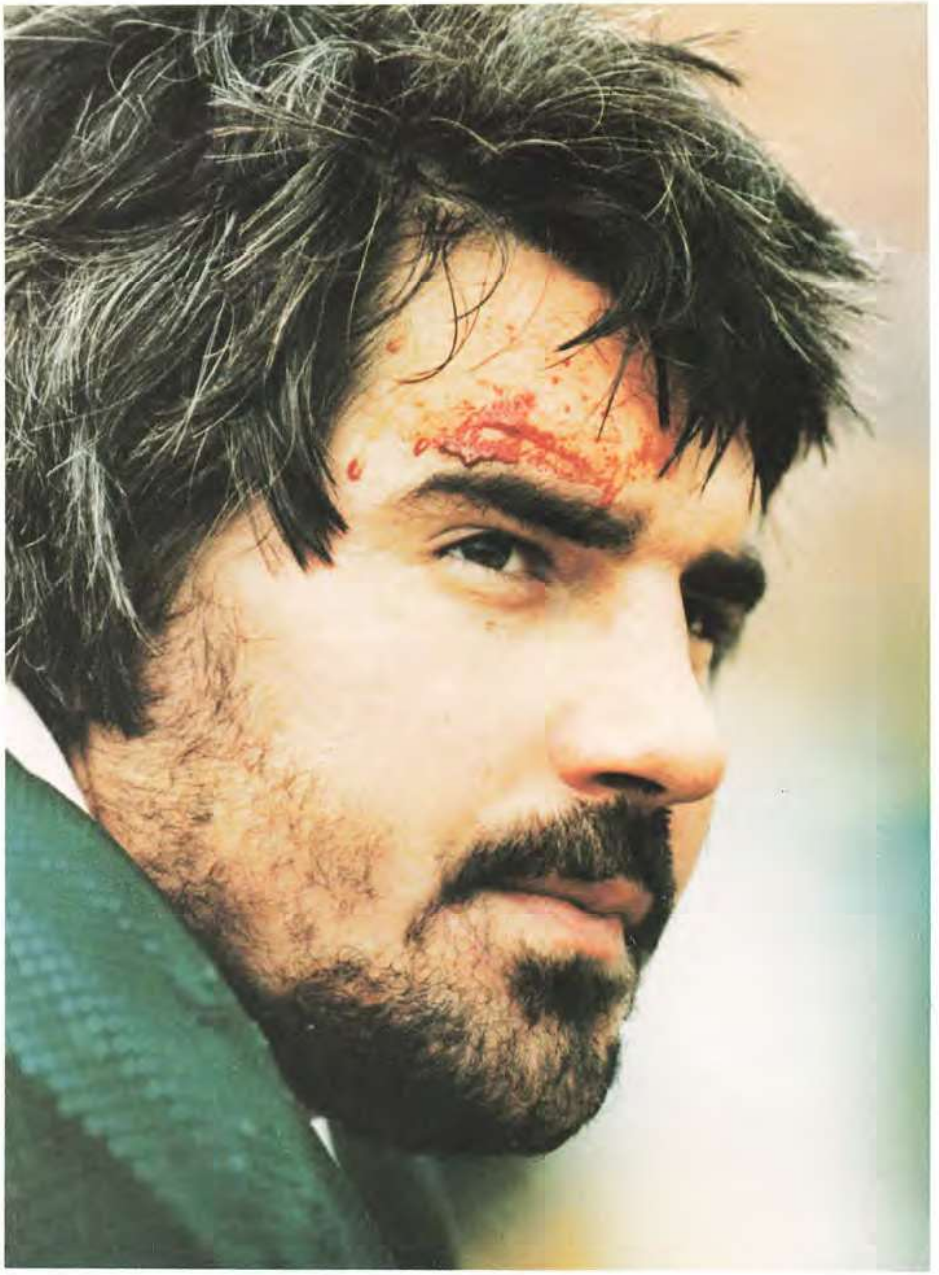
"If my career had ended after 13 years, I would have accepted it but I wouldn't have liked it," he said. "But now, after 15 years and having redeemed myself, I am as pleased as I can be. But that's the past. I'm still hoping to contribute for at least another year."

Stenerud wouldn't mind coming back in 1983 since he doesn't hide the fact he's eyeing Blanda's record of 335 career field goals. With 304 under his belt already, Stenerud said, "I'd love to beat it. It's within sight. But that's going to take two seasons. I can't look that far ahead, I can only concern myself with this season."

If Stenerud does beat Blanda's record, there is a good chance that the former Norwegian ski jumper could make the NFL Hall of Fame.

"I don't think so," Stenerud said. "I guess if I kick more field goals than Blanda, they'd have to consider me. But I can hear the committees and press people saying that a kicker's job isn't that hard and that we don't deserve to be in the Hall of Fame. I still say it's pretty hard to keep your job as a kicker for 15 years or more, but I think the odds are heavily against me making the Hall of Fame."

Nevertheless, how many times has Stenerud defied the odds before?



GREG KOCH

Thy Name Is Loyalty

By Tom Woodrow
Oshkosh Northwestern

Loyalty. It's something you look for in a husband or wife, value from an employee, hope for from your children and expect from your dog. There are those who would say that in today's society, only your dog won't let you down.

That may be a bit cynical, but certainly loyalty is not something one associates with professional athletes, right? All they want is the mega-bucks, and they'll go wherever they have to go to get them, right?

Wrong!

Wrong, that is, if the athlete in question is Green Bay Packer offensive tackle Greg Koch. Koch has held his spot on the Packer roster since being selected in the second round of the 1977 college draft. Through consistently improving performance he has become one of the pillars of stability on the Packer roster. Foremost among his many assets and qualities is his intense loyalty to the Green Bay Packers, not only the team but the organization as well.

Surprised? You shouldn't be, according to Koch.

"I believe that loyalty is my best quality, whether it involves my family, my friends, or the Green Bay Packers," says the 6-4, 265-pound native of Houston, Texas. "When I am loyal I am fiercely loyal. That's just the way I am.

"The way I look at it, I have two nice cars, a nice house in Green Bay, I am comfortable, and I think in some quarters I am respected. I owe it all to the Packer organization. So as far as I'm concerned I owe them my loyalty.

"Dedication is a part of that loyalty," he adds. "I don't believe you can give your best effort to something that you aren't dedicated to. I will do anything it takes to make this organization a winner."

Koch's loyalty to the Packer organization came to the fore on at least two occasions in the recent past, once when he spoke out publicly in support of Bart Starr a few years ago when it was not the popular thing to do, and once in a somewhat critical appraisal of one of his former teammates (Steve Atkins). Koch defends the former instance and regrets the latter.

"When times are bad and things are looking a bit down, when there is a

tendency to jump ship, I believe some one has to display loyalty, to stand up and be counted. I was by no means the only player who felt that way about Coach Starr or even the only one to say so. It just happened that I was a bit more vocal about it, or I got more publicity.

"As far as the other incident goes, I guess I have a tendency to expect other people to share the intensity of my feelings, and because of that I have caused a flap or two," says Koch quite candidly. "I was wrong for taking the approach that I did, and have been guarding against letting it happen again. I view that experience as a bad one, but it has helped me to grow and learn.

"In no way do I want to divide this team ever again. I am determined to channel my intensity towards helping this team into the playoffs."

The depth of Koch's loyalty and dedication to the Packer cause have cast him into a leadership role. That's just fine with Koch.

"I have been here long enough now that people, including some of my teammates, look up to me," Koch points out. "As a man and as a football player you hope that happens. Part of my makeup is that I want very much to be a leader on this team. I want to lead this team back to the top where it belongs. I think in a lot of ways I do lead, but in others I still have to become stronger as a leader and that is one of my personal goals."

Koch's intense loyalty and his dedication show up in virtually every facet of his life. The same qualities which have enabled him to become a very good football player have enabled him to become much more than a football player. That, to Koch, is very important.

"I really hate being stereotyped," says Koch in a certain way he has of saying things to let you know he really means it. "Too much is made of the theory that football players have everything given to them, such as grades, jobs, and so on. People who have an opportunity to get to know us, especially non-football people, realize that there is much more to us than just being a football player.

"As a member of the Packers I do live in something of a glass house, and it is difficult to make non-football friends, but I do have a number of them and I value their friendship tremendously. To me, sharing experiences outside of football is great."

Foremost among the experiences Koch is presently sharing with non-football friends is the academic experience. The intensity that is so much a part of Koch's nature has always been reflected in his academic life. He was a top student in high school in Houston and in college at the University of Arkansas, where he was in pre-med for three years before receiving a degree in marketing. Now, in his off-seasons, he is doing post-graduate work at St. Norbert College, and in the semester prior to the start of the 1982 season he carried a full 16-hour credit load.

"School has always been important to me," Koch notes. "I was in the top five of my graduating class (high school) in Houston and my intent at that time was to become a doctor. When you get caught up in the whirlwind of football, you can lose sight of your priorities, and that may have happened to me. I have always believed, however, that things work out the way they should and I have never regretted turning to football.

"I have that marketing degree from Arkansas, but right now I am leaning towards law school. As a student at St. Norbert in the off-season I try to maintain a low profile. In a lot of situations you can't do anything without having people recognize you, but I don't have much of a problem in that respect at St. Norbert. Unless you are an avid football fan, you don't know many of the offensive linemen on a pro team and that seems to be the case at St. Norbert. I am treated like any other person, which is fine with me because it makes it easier to maintain my 4.0 grade level. If we were winning more games, maybe it would be more distracting. That's a sacrifice I'd be willing to make."

While Koch is willing and even eager to talk about football and the Packers in the right situation, he is even more eager to talk about his family and friends. It is clear that their interests are his own.

"There is nothing more important to me than my family. One of my sincere regrets is that my life as a football player has taken me so far from my parents in Houston. I only get to see them about twice a year and that is not enough. Perhaps that's why my wife, Mary, is more important to me now than ever before.

"Mary was my high school sweetheart, and after she spent two years at Southwest Texas State, she came to Arkansas and has been with me ever since. I really don't think I could make it without her now. She takes care of me and helps me keep my life in perspective.

"I admire her more than any person I know," Koch adds. "She teaches retarded and handicapped children, which is an incredible thing to be able to do. I encourage her career as much as I can. It interests me greatly, but I don't think I could do the work she does. It could be so depressing. The little breakthroughs she gains with her students are such big things. I don't think I could handle that, and I respect her immensely for her capacity to do

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21 Bid for Work in Offensive Line

The Packers, in a bid to strengthen their offensive line, started the 1982 season with 21 candidates for jobs of opening holes for the running backs and protecting the quarterback.

Fourteen are holdovers, two are draft choices and five are free agents. Holdovers are Greg Koch, Leotis Harris, Larry McCarren, Derrel Gofourth, Mark Koncar, Tim Stokes, Karl Swanke Syd Kitson, Tim Huffman, Charlie Ane, Arland Thompson, Brad Oates and Buddy Aydelette. The two draftees are Ron Hallstrom and John Macauley and the free agents are James Cathey, Larry Pfohl, Larry Rubens, Gary Anderson and Tony Vitale.

There are four players each at left tackle (Koncar, Stokes, Swanke, Cathey), left guard (Gofourth, Kitson, Huffmann, Pfohl), center (McCarren, Ane, Macauley, Rubens) and right tackle (Koch, Oates, Aydelette, Vitale). Five are competing at right guard—Harris, Thompson, Hallstrom, Godfrey and Anderson.

Of the 21 prospects, only eight or nine can make the roster for the League Opener Sept. 12.

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that kind of thing."

The Kochs have no children of their own, but that could change shortly.

"We are planning a family and hopefully it will happen soon," Koch notes. "I think it can be harmful to a relationship to have children too quickly in a marriage, but I think we are ready now. I'm almost 27 and I think the time is right. I would really like to have at least two kids, and then maybe adopt a third. That's something that I've always thought I'd like to do, and I feel that way now more than ever."

Another very important aspect of Koch's life is the monitoring of his brother's development as a potential pro football player.

"My brother David will be a senior guard at LSU (Louisiana State University) this year and I'm almost certain he's going to be a pro," says Koch with obvious pride. "I wouldn't mind a brother combination here if the Packers were to draft him, but it just might be better if he went to some other team. He has always been compared to me, and that is why he chose LSU instead of Arkansas. He was better than I ever was in high school and probably in college, too, though I don't get to see him play. He has a chance to be great. My brother, like my parents, is very important to me. They have always been my family, and now they are my friends, but I just don't get to see enough of them."

When Koch comes home from a particularly hard day on the practice field or in the classroom, he does not unwind in some fashion that the stereotype suggests, all the more reason why the stereotype is not valid. Koch comes home and sits down to his piano.

He is an accomplished pianist, albeit a private one, and that alone says a great deal about his intensity.

"I took private lessons as a kid and hated them," explains Koch. "But now, I value them, and I am extremely happy that I can play. Whenever I get upset, playing the piano helps calm me down. I prefer to play popular music, either contemporary music or the more recent classics.

"Tork (Eric Torkelson) plays, too, and sometimes he'll come over and we'll make up songs. I may play a little better than Tork, but he's much better at improvising."

"Most of the guys that live up here in the off-season are close," he explains. "When you remain together in the off-season, work out together and even do a lot of things that aren't football-related, you have the opportunity to find out a lot about each other, to become close. These are guys that will be my friends for the rest of my life."

Koch's closest friend is tied to what is probably Koch's greatest personal goal at the moment.

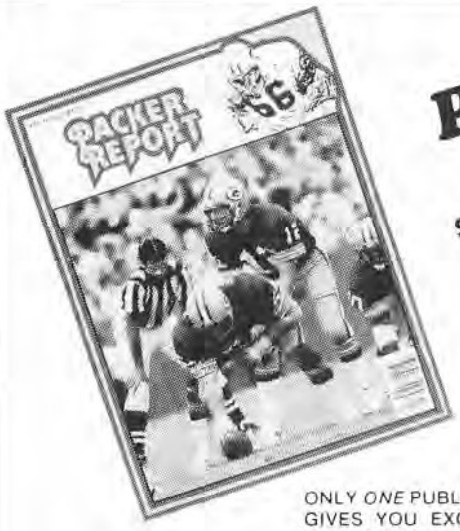
"I have this friend, R. C. Thielmann, who plays guard for the Atlanta Falcons. We played side by side in high school in Houston and in college at Arkansas. In 1977 we were drafted two people apart, and it just seems that our careers have paralleled each other's. This past year R. C. made the Pro Bowl, and he said he really enjoyed it.

"Making the Pro Bowl has been my one really personal goal in football, and it would have been nice to have made it the same year as R. C. did. It's something Paul Coffman and I talk about quite a bit. I think there are a number of guys on our team, Paul and myself included, who have played well enough to make the Pro Bowl. We may have made it if our record as a team was better, so my personal goal is tied very closely to my goals for this team.

"We are very close to making the playoffs. When we do, there will be a lot of players on this team who get the recognition they deserve, guys who feel like I do that they would do anything to help us get to the playoffs. I think we are close, because in 1981 the Packer team was the closest team I've been on since becoming a pro. It was everyone's intent to win. There was no bitching, just pulling for each other.

"One of the big keys for the 1982 season will be the offensive line, of which I am a part. Everything else seems to be in place, except that our line has to come back from so many injuries. That's why I was glad to see the Packers draft an offensive lineman in the first round. I'm sure that the big guy (6-6, 300-pound Ron Hallstrom) is going to have a positive impact on this team right away. Even if he doesn't start, he'll sure be pushing the guys ahead of him to bigger and better things. One way or another he will heighten our overall performance and that is what we all need.

"Besides," Koch adds. "It'll be nice to have a guy on the team who'll make me look thin."



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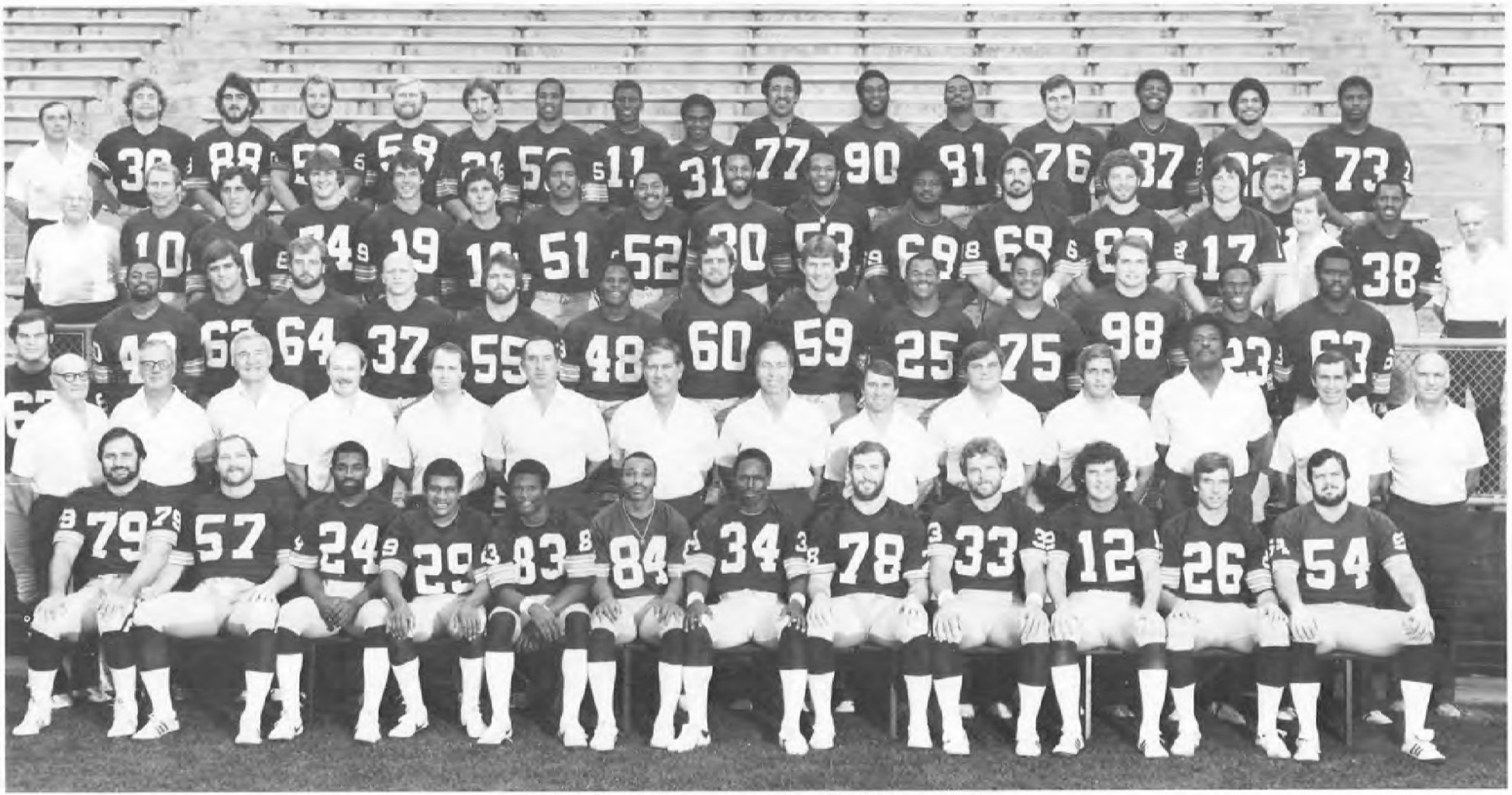

THE 1981 GREEN BAY PACKERS (8-8)

FIRST ROW: (left to right) Mark Koncar, Derrel Gofourth, Johnnie Gray, Mike McCoy, John Jefferson, Fred Nixon, Terdell Middleton, Casey Merrill, Jim Jensen, Lynn Dickey, Eric Torkelson, Larry McCarren.

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The Biggest First Choice

Ron Hallstrom bends his leg in May Mini-Camp.

Ron Hallstrom is the biggest first choice in Packer history.

The strapping University of Iowa guard stands 6-6 and will play at about 280 pounds. As one writer put it, "he is, indeed, a mass of a man but he is no blob." What's more he has exceptional quickness for a man his size, moving considerably swifter than other linemen he worked with in the May mini-camp.

Hallstrom, who is being counted on to bolster the Pack's offensive line as a rookie, is only the fourth guard ever drafted first by the Packers. The other three all were capable workmen and one was an all-pro.

The first player drafted by the Packers in the National Football League's first draft in 1936 was Guard Russ Letlow of the University of San Francisco. Russ played eight seasons. The next guard chosen first was Gale Gillingham of Minnesota in 1966. Gale put in 10 years of service. Two years later the Packers made Guard Bill Lueck of Arizona their first pick and he played seven years. Gillingham made several all-pro teams.

No other first pick came within 10 pounds of Hallstrom. Letlow, Gillingham and Lueck all weighed in the 255 to 265 range.

The Packers had 56 first choices in the NFL's 57 college player drafts (one was traded away) and only 16 were used to select linemen. They were Urban Odson, 1942 tackle; Dick Wildung, 1943 tackle; Merv Pregulman, 1944 center; Bob Gain, 1951 tackle; Art Hunter, 1954 tackle-center; Lloyd Voss, 1964 tackle; Bob Hyland, 1967 center; Rich Moore, 1969 tackle; Mike McCoy, 1970 tackle; Mark Koncar, 1976 tackle; Mike Butler, 1977 end; Ezra Johnson, 1977; Bruce Clark, 1980 tackle; and Letlow, Gillingham and Lueck.

Shortly after being selected, Hallstrom signed his contract and went right to work in Green Bay. He feels he has the tools to play in the pros but, as he explained, "now it's the mental things. I've got to learn how it's played in professional football."

In fact, he believes that "football is 80 percent in the mind. If you have it in your mind, you can play it. I've got the size to play and my quickness is OK. Now I've got to get it in my mind. I've just got to learn."

Hallstrom didn't play guard at Iowa until his senior season and then he won AP and UPI all-Big Ten honors. Packer director of player personnel Dick Corrick feels Hallstrom can "come right in and play. The main things about him are that he's got a mean streak and he's tough."

Hallstrom was one of only two offensive linemen selected in the draft. The other was Center John Macaulay, 6-3 and 254, from Stanford on the 11th round.

Here are the Packers' 1982 draft choices and the figures in parentheses designate the order of selection of the 334 players chosen by the 28 teams:

1st Round—Ron Hallstrom, G, Iowa (22).

2nd—Choice to San Diego in John Jefferson trade.

3rd—Del Rodgers, RB, Utah (71).

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4th—Robert Brown, LB, Virginia Poly Institute (98).

5th—Mike Meade, RB, Penn State (126).

6th—Chet Parlavecchio, LB, Penn State (152).

7th—Joe Whitley, DB, Texas—El Paso (183).

8th—Thomas Boyd, LB, Alabama (210).

9th—Charles Riggins, DE, Bethune-Cookman (237).

10th—Eddie Garcia, K, Southern Methodist (264).

11th—John Macaulay, C, Stanford (294).

12th—Phillip Epps, WR, Texas Christian (321).

Here are the top four selections of the other teams:

ATLANTA: 1. Gerald Riggs, RB, Arizona State; 2. Doug Rogers, DE, Stanford; 3. Stacey Bailey, WR, San Jose State; 4. Reggie Brown, RB, Oregon.

BALTIMORE: 1. Johnie Cooks, LB, Mississippi State; 1. Art Schlichter, QB, Ohio State, choice from Los Angeles; 2. Leo Wisniewski, DT, Penn State; 2. Rohn Stark, P, Florida State, choice from Los Angeles; 3. Jim Burroughs, DB, Michigan State; 4. Mike Pagel, QB, Arizona State.

BUFFALO: 1. Perry Tuttle, WR, Clemson, choice from Denver; 1. Choice to Denver; 2. Matt Kofler, QB, San Diego State; 3. Eugene Marve, LB, Saginaw Valley, choice from Cleveland; 3. Choice to Seattle. 4. Van Williams, RB, Carson-Newman, choice from St. Louis; 4. Choice to Denver.

CHICAGO: 1. Jim McMahon, QB, Brigham Young; 2. Choice to Tampa Bay; 3. Tim Wrightman, TE, UCLA; 4. Dennis Gentry, RB, Baylor.

CINCINNATI: 1. Glen Collins, DE, Mississippi State; 2. Emanuel Weaver, DT, South Carolina; 3. Rodney Holman, TE, Tulane; 4. Rodney Tate, RB, Texas.

CLEVELAND: 1. Chip Banks, LB, Southern California; 2. Keith Baldwin, DE, Texas A&M; 3. Choice to Buffalo; 4. Dwight Walker, WR, Nicholls State.

DALLAS: 1. Rod Hill, DB, Kentucky State; 2. Jeff Rohrer, LB, Yale; 3. Jim Eliopulos, LB, Wyoming; 4. Brian Carpenter, DB, Michigan, choice from Tampa Bay; 4. Monty Hunter, DB, Salem, WV.

DENVER: 1. Choice to Buffalo; 1. Gerald Willhite, RB, San Jose State, choice from Buffalo; 2. Orlando McDaniel, WR, Louisiana State; 3. Choice to Houston through Los Angeles; 4. Choice to Kansas; 4. Dan Plater, WR, Brigham Young, choice from Buffalo.

DETROIT: 1. Jimmy Williams, LB, Nebraska; 2. Bobby Watkins, DB, S.W. Texas State; 3. Steve Doig, LB, New Hampshire; 4. Bruce McNorton, DB, Georgetown, KY.

HOUSTON: 1. Mike Munchak, G, Penn State; 2. Choice to Oakland; 2. Oliver Luck, QB, West Virginia, choice from Tampa Bay through Miami and Los Angeles; 3. Choice to Los Angeles; 3. Stan Edwards, RB, Michigan, choice from New York Giants; 3. Robert Abraham, LB, North Carolina State, choice from Denver through Los Angeles; 4. Steve Bryant, WR, Purdue.

KANSAS CITY: 1. Anthony Hancock, WR, Tennessee, choice from St. Louis; 1. Choice to St. Louis; 2. Calvin Daniels, LB, North Carolina; 3. Choice to St. Louis; 4. Louis Haynes, LB, North Texas State; 4. Stuart Anderson, DT, Virginia, choice from Denver.

LOS ANGELES: 1. Choice to Baltimore; 1. Barry Redden, RB, Richmond, choice from Washington; 2. Choice to Baltimore; 3. Choice to Washington; 3. Bill Bechtold, C, Oklahoma, choice from Houston; 4. Jeff Gaylord, LB, Missouri.

MIAMI: 1. Roy Foster, G, Southern California; 2. Mark Duper, WR, N.W. Louisiana; 3. Paul Lankford, DB, Penn State; 4. Charles Bowser, LB, Duke.

MINNESOTA: 1. Darrin Nelson, RB, Stanford; 2. Terry Tausch, T, Texas; 3. Choice to New Orleans; 4. Jim Fahnhorst, LB, Minnesota.

NEW ENGLAND: 1. Ken Sims, DE, Texas; 1. Lester Williams, DT, Miami, choice from San Francisco; 2. Choice to San Francisco; 2. Robert Weathers, RB, Arizona State, choice from Green Bay through San Diego; 2. Andre Tippett, LB, Iowa, choice from Washington through San Francisco; 2. Darryl Haley, T, Utah, choice from San Francisco; 3. Cedrick Jones, WR, Duke; 2. Clayton Weishuhn, LB, Angelo State, choice from Seattle; 4. George Crump, DE, East Carolina; 4. Brian Ingram, LB, Tennessee, choice from San Francisco.

NEW ORLEANS: 1. Choice exercised in 1981 supplemental draft; 1. Lindsay Scott, WR, Georgia, choice from Green Bay through San Diego; 2. Brad Edelman, C, Missouri; 3. Rodney Lewis, DB, Nebraska; 3. Eugene Goodlow, WR, Kansas State, choice from Minnesota; 3. Ken Duckett, WR, Wake Forest, choice from Washington; 3. John Krimm, DB, Notre Dame, choice from San Diego; 4. Morten Andersen, K, Michigan State.

NEW YORK GIANTS: 1. Butch Woolfolk, RB, Michigan; 2. Joe Morris, RB, Syracuse; 3. Choice to Houston; 4. Gerry Raymond, G, Boston College.

NEW YORK JETS: 1. Bob Crable, LB, Notre Dame; 2. Reggie McElroy, T, West Texas State; 3. Dwayne Crutchfield, RB, Iowa State; 4. George Floyd, DB, Eastern Kentucky.

OAKLAND: 1. Marcus Allen, RB, Southern California; 2. Jack Squirek, LB, Illinois, choice from Houston; 2. Jim Romano, C, Penn State; 3. Vann McElroy, DB, Baylor; 4. Ed Muransky, T, Michigan.

PHILADELPHIA: 1. Mike Quick, WR, North Carolina; 2. Lawrence Sampleton, TE, Texas; 3. Vyto Kab, TE, Penn State; 4. Anthony Griggs, LB, Ohio State.

PITTSBURGH: 1. Walter Abercrombie, RB, Baylor; 2. John Meyer, T, Arizona State; 3. Mike Merriweather, LB, Pacific; 4. Rick Woods, DB, Boise State.

ST. LOUIS: 1. Choice to Kansas State; 1. Luis Sharpe, T, UCLA, choice from Kansas State; 2. David Galloway, DT, Florida; 3. Benny Perrin, DB, Alabama, 3. Rusty Guilbeau, DE, McNeese State, choice from Kansas City; 4. Tottie Robbins, T, East Carolina, choice from Seattle.

SAN DIEGO: 1. Choice to Green Bay; 2. Choice to Washington through Los Angeles; 3. Choice to New Orleans; 4. Choice to Tampa Bay.

SAN FRANCISCO: 1. Choice to New England; 2. Bubba Paris, T, Michigan, choice from New England; 3. Choice to Tampa Bay through San Diego; 4. Choice to New England.

SEATTLE: 1. Jeff Bryant, DE, Clemson; 2. Bruce Scholtz, LB, Texas; 3. Choice to New England; 3. Pete Metzelaars, TE, Wabash, choice from Buffalo; 4. Choice to St. Louis.

TAMPA BAY: 1. Sea Farrell, G, Penn State; 2. Booker Reese, DE, Bethune-Cookman, choice from Chicago; 2. Choice to Houston through Miami and Los Angeles; 3. Jerry Bell, TE, Arizona State; 3. John Cannon, DE, William & Mary, choice from San Francisco through San Diego; 4. Choice to Dallas; 4. Dave Barrett, RB, Houston, choice from San Diego.

WASHINGTON: 1. Choice to Baltimore through Los Angeles; 2. Choice to New England through San Francisco; 2. Vernon Dean, choice from San Diego through Los Angeles; 3. Carl Powell, WR, Jackson State, choice from Los Angeles; 3. Choice to New Orleans; 4. Todd Liebenstein, DE, Nevada-Las Vegas.

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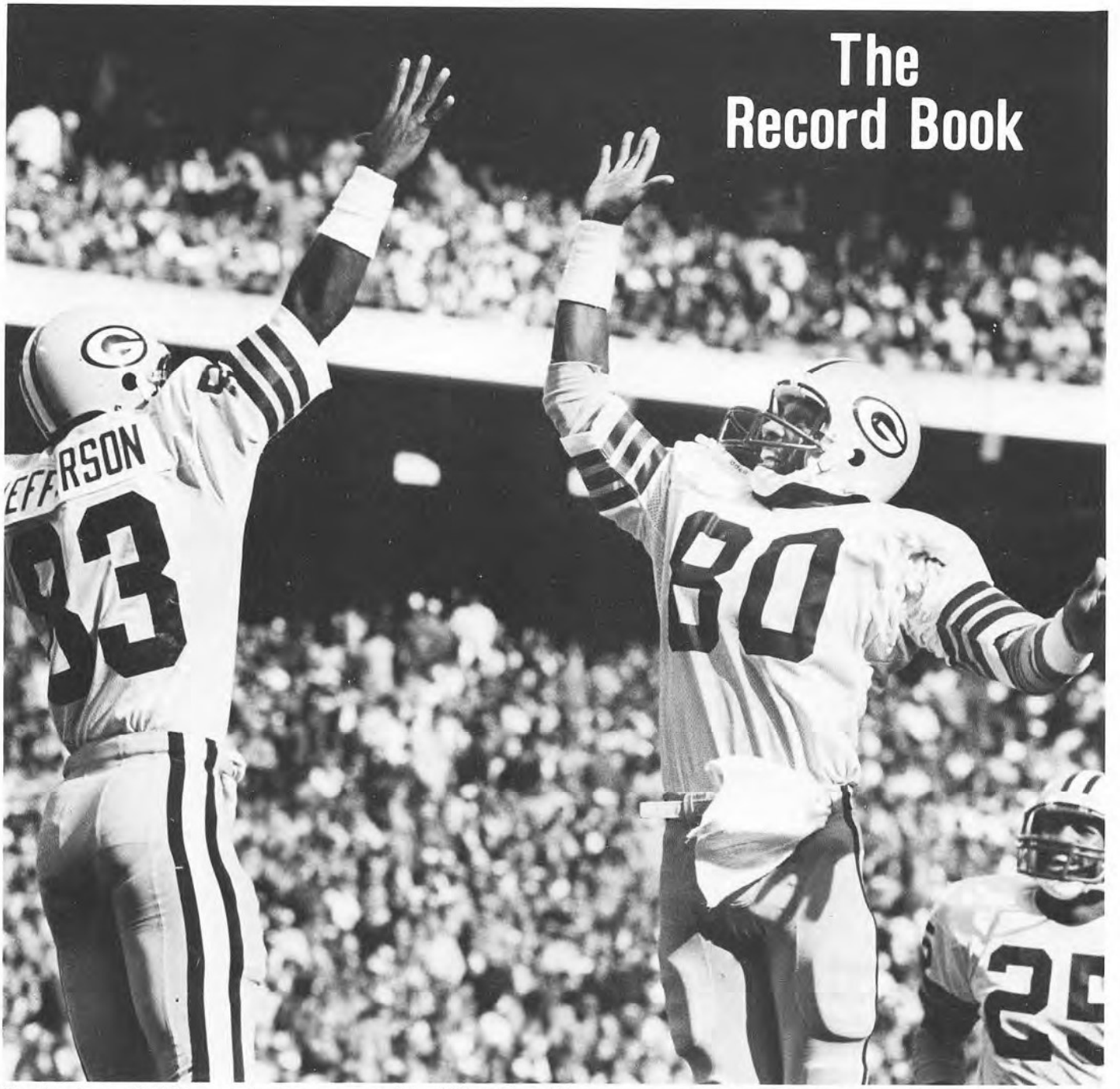

The Packers might have set a league record for "High Fives" in the second half of the 1981 season. Here, John Jefferson and James Lofton celebrate a touchdown against Giants in New York.

James, Jan Set Records

Two venerable Packer records came tumbling down during the 1981 season.

James Lofton, with 1,294 yards on his 71 pass catches, fractured a 29-year-old record set by Billy Howton's 1,231 yards in 1952. Lofton closed in on the record in 1980—stretching his 71 catches to 1,211 yards. Lofton, with 71 receptions in each of the last two years, was just three short of Don Hutson's record 72.

Jan Stenerud broke a record that was first set in 1950 and then tied twice with his 53-yard field goal in Tampa Bay. Ted Fritsch set the original record of 52 yards against the old New York Yanks in 1950. Paul Hornung tied the record on a free kick against the Bears in 1964 and Chester Marcol tied it against the Baltimore Colts in 1974.

Lynn Dickey tied a record on his five touchdown passes against the New Orleans Saints last season. The original record was set by Cecil Isbell in 1942 against the Chicago Cardinals

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and tied by Don Horn against the St. Louis Cardinals in 1969. Dickey also added to his career marks in 1981.

Two second-longest runs were established in 1981. Mark Lee returned a punt 94 against the New York Giants—two yards short of the record set by Steve Odom against the Chicago Bears in 1974. Both were for touchdowns.

George Cumby returned a fumble 68 yards against Tampa Bay to rank second behind a 77-yard return with a fumble by Mike Butler against the Minnesota Vikings in 1979. The original record of 60 was set by Henry Jordon against Dallas in 1964.

The following records are presented with apologies to all the Packer greats who played before records were kept:

BALL CARRYING

MOST ATTEMPTS (Career)
1,811 Jim Taylor, 1958-66, 9 sea.
1,293 John Brockington, 1971-77, 7 sea.
1,171 Clarke Hinkle, 1932-41, 10 sea.
1,025 Tony Canadeo, 1941-44, 46-52, 11 sea.

MOST ATTEMPTS (One Season)
284 Terdell Middleton, 1978
274 John Brockington, 1972
272 Jim Taylor, 1962
266 John Brockington, 1974

MOST ATTEMPTS (One Game)
39 Terdell Middleton, 1978 vs. Minnesota 110 yards
32 Jim Grabowski, 1967 vs. Chicago Bears, 111 yards; John Brockington, 1974 vs. Minnesota, 137 yards
30 Jim Taylor, 1963 vs. Pittsburgh, 141 yards; John Brockington, 1971 vs. Chicago Bears, 142 yards
28 Paul Hornung, 1959 vs. San Francisco, 138 yards; John Brockington, 1973 vs. St. Louis, 137 yards; Terdell Middleton, 1978 vs. Detroit, 91 yards

MOST YARDS GAINED (Career)
8,207 Jim Taylor, 1958-66, 1811 attempts, Ave. 4.5
5,024 John Brockington, 1971-77, 1,293 attempts, Ave. 3.8
4,197 Tony Canadeo, 1941-44, 46-53, 1,025 attempts, Ave. 4.1
3,860 Clarke Hinkle, 1932-41, 1,171 attempts, Ave. 3.2

MOST YARDS GAINED (One Season)
1,474 Jim Taylor, 1962, 272 attempts, Ave. 5.4
1,307 Jim Taylor, 1961, 243 attempts, Ave. 4.8
1,169 Jim Taylor, 1964, 235 attempts, Ave. 5.0
1,144 John Brockington, 1973, 265 attempts, Ave. 4.3

MOST YARDS GAINED (One Game)
186 Jim Taylor, 1961 vs. New York, 27 attempts, Ave. 6.9
167 Billy Grimes, 1950 vs. N.Y. Yanks, 10 attempts, Ave. 16.7
165 Jim Taylor, 1964 vs. Los Angeles, 17 attempts, Ave. 9.7
164 Jim Taylor, 1962 vs. Minnesota, 17 attempts, Ave. 9.6

LONGEST RUNS

LONGEST RUNS FROM SCRIMMAGE
97 Andy Uram, 1939 vs. Chicago Cards, TD.
84 Jim Taylor, 1964 vs. Detroit, TD.
77 Tom Moore, 1963 vs. Detroit, TD.
76 Terdell Middleton, 1978 vs. Detroit, TD.

LONGEST PUNT RETURNS
95 Steve Odom, 1974 vs. Chicago Bears, TD.
94 Mark Lee, 1981 vs. New York Giants, TD.
93 Veryl Switzer, 1954 vs. Chicago Bears, TD.
90 Andy Uram, 1941 vs. Brooklyn, TD.

LONGEST KICKOFF RETURNS
106 Al Carmichael, 1956 vs. Chicago Bears, TD.
104 Travis Williams, 1967 vs. Los Angeles, TD.
103 Herb Adderley, 1962 vs. Baltimore, TD.
101 Dave Hampton, 1970 vs. Minnesota, TD.

LONGEST INTERCEPTED PASS RETURN
94 Rebel Steiner, 1950 vs. Chicago Bears, TD.
91 Hal Van Every, 1941 vs. Pittsburgh, TD.
88 Bob Summerhays, 1951 vs. Philadelphia, TD.
87 Dave Robinson, 1965 vs. Baltimore

LONGEST RETURN WITH FUMBLE
77 Mike Butler, 1979 vs. Minnesota TD.
68 George Cumby, 1981 vs. Tampa Bay
60 Henry Jordan, 1964 vs. Dallas TD.

PASSING

MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED (Career)
3,149 Bart Starr, 1956-71, 16 sea.
1,854 Tobin Rote, 1950-56, 7 sea.
1,414 Lynn Dickey, 1976-77, 79-81, 5 sea.
819 Arnie Herber, 1932-40, 9 sea.

MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED (One Season)
478 Lynn Dickey, 1980
382 Tobin Rote, 1954
354 Lynn Dickey, 1981
353 John Hadl, 1975

MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED (One Game)
51 Lynn Dickey, 1980 vs. Tampa Bay
46 Bart Starr, 1958 vs. Baltimore
44 Lynn Dickey, 1981 vs. Atlanta
42 Tobin Rote, 1954 vs. Chicago Bears

MOST PASSES COMPLETED (Career)
1,808 Bart Starr, 1956-71, 16 sea.
826 Tobin Rote, 1950-56, 7 sea.
770 Lynn Dickey, 1976-77, 79-81, 5 sea.
419 Cecil Isbell, 1938-42, 5 sea.

MOST PASSES COMPLETED (One Season)
278 Lynn Dickey, 1980, 478 attempts
204 Lynn Dickey, 1981, 354 attempts
191 John Hadl, 1975, 353 attempts
180 Tobin Rote, 1954, 382 attempts

MOST PASSES COMPLETED (One Game)
35 Lynn Dickey, 1980 vs. Tampa Bay, 51 attempts
30 Lynn Dickey, 1981 vs. Atlanta, 44 attempts
26 Bart Starr, 1958 vs. Baltimore, 46 attempts
24 Bob Thomason, 1951 vs. Detroit, 33 attempts; David Whitehurst, 1979 vs. Tampa Bay, 34 attempts

MOST PASSES HAD INTERCEPTED (Career)
138 Bart Starr, 1956-71, 16 sea.
119 Tobin Rote, 1950-56, 7 sea.
72 Lynn Dickey, 1976-77, 79-81, 5 sea.
52 Irv Comp, 1943-48, 6 sea.

MOST PASSES HAD INTERCEPTED (One Season)
25 Lynn Dickey, 1980, 478 attempts
24 Tobin Rote, 1950, 224 attempts
21 Jack Jacobs, 1948, 184 attempts; Irv Comp, 1944, 177 attempts; John Hadl, 1975, 353 attempts
19 Tobin Rote, 1955, 342 attempts; Babe Parilli, 1953, 166 attempts

MOST PASSES HAD INTERCEPTED (One Game)
6 Tom O'Malley, 1950 vs. Detroit, 15 attempts
5 Cecil Isbell, 1938 vs. New York Giants, 19 attempts; Jack Jacobs, 1947 vs. New York Giants, 24 attempts; Tobin Rote, 1955 vs. Los Angeles, 40 attempts; Bart Starr, 1967 vs. Chicago Bears, 19 attempts

MOST YARDS GAINED PASSING (Career)
24,718 Bart Starr, 1956-71, 16 sea.
11,535 Tobin Rote, 1950-56, 7 sea.
9,720 Lynn Dickey, 1976-77, 79-81, 5 sea.
6,741 Arnie Herber, 1932-40, 9 sea.

MOST YARDS GAINED PASSING (One Season)
3,529 Lynn Dickey, 1980, 278 comp.
2,593 Lynn Dickey, 1981, 204 comp.
2,438 Bart Starr, 1962, 178 comp.
2,418 Bart Starr, 1961, 192 comp.

MOST YARDS GAINED PASSING (One Game)
418 Lynn Dickey, 1980 vs. Tampa Bay, 35 comp.
410 Don Horn, 1969 vs. St. Louis, 22 comp.
342 Lynn Dickey, 1981 vs. Atlanta, 30 comp.
335 Tobin Rote, 1951 vs. Los Angeles, 20 comp.

MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES (Career)
152 Bart Starr, 1956-71, 16 sea.
89 Tobin Rote, 1950-56, 7 sea.
59 Cecil Isbell, 1938-42, 5 sea.
51 Arnie Herber, 1932-40, 9 sea.

MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES (One Season)
24 Cecil Isbell, 1942
18 Tobin Rote, 1956
17 Tobin Rote, 1955; Lynn Dickey, 1981
16 Jack Jacobs, 1947; Bart Starr, 1961 and 1965; Cecil Isbell, 1941

MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES (One Game)
5 Don Horn, 1969 vs. St. Louis; Cecil Isbell, 1942 vs. Chicago Cardinals; Lynn Dickey, 1981 vs. New Orleans
4 Roy McKay, 1945 vs. Detroit; Lamar McHan, 1959 vs. Detroit; Bart Starr, twice, 1961 vs. Minn., 1968 vs. Dallas; David Whitehurst, 1978 vs. New Orleans

BEST PASSING EFFICIENCY (Career)
57.4% Bart Starr, 1956-71, 16 sea.
54.4% Lynn Dickey, 1976-77, 1979-81, 5 sea.
50.6% Arnie Herber, 1932-40, 9 sea.
50.6% Cecil Isbell, 1938-42, 5 sea.

BEST PASSING EFFICIENCY (Season)
63.7% Bart Starr, 1968, 171 attempts, 109 comp.
62.5% Bart Starr, 1962, 285 attempts, 178 comp.
62.2% Bart Starr, 1966, 251 attempts, 156 comp.
62.2% Bart Starr, 1969, 148 attempts, 92 comp.

LONGEST COMPLETED PASS
96 Tobin Rote to Billy Grimes, 1950 vs. San Francisco
95 Lynn Dickey to Steve Odom, 1977 vs. Minnesota
92 Cecil Isbell to Don Hutson, 1939 vs. Washington
91 Bart Starr to Boyd Dowler, 1960 vs. Los Angeles

SHORTEST COMPLETED PASS
4 (inches) Cecil Isbell to Don Hutson, 1942 vs. Cleveland

PASS RECEIVING

MOST PASSES CAUGHT (Career)
489 Don Hutson, 1935-45, 11 sea.
448 Boyd Dowler, 1959-69, 11 sea.
345 Max McGee, 1954, 1957-67, 12 sea.
303 Bill Howton, 1952-58, 7 sea.

MOST PASSES CAUGHT (One Season)
74 Don Hutson, 1942
71 James Lofton, (twice) 1980, 1981
65 Gerry Ellis, 1981
58 Don Hutson, (twice) 1941, 1944; Ken Payne, 1975

MOST PASSES CAUGHT (One Game)
14 Don Hutson, 1942 vs. New York Giants, 134 yards
13 Don Hutson, 1942 vs. Cleveland Rams, 209 yards
12 Ken Payne, 1975 vs. Denver, 167 yards
11 Bob Mann, 1951 vs. Los Angeles, 123 yards; Bill Howton, 1954 vs. Baltimore, 147 yards; Eddie Lee Ivery, 1980 vs. Tampa Bay, 128 yards; Gerry Ellis, 1981 vs. Tampa Bay, 76 yards

MOST YARDS CATCHING PASSES (Career)
8,010 Don Hutson, 1935-45, 11 sea.
6,918 Boyd Dowler, 1959-69, 11 sea.
6,289 Max McGee, 1954, 1957-67, 12 sea.
5,581 Bill Howton, 1952-58, 7 sea.

MOST YARDS CATCHING PASSES (One Season)
1,294 James Lofton, 1981
1,231 Bill Howton, 1952
1,226 James Lofton, 1980
1,211 Don Hutson, 1942

MOST YARDS CATCHING PASSES (One Game)
257 Bill Howton, 1956 vs. Los Angeles (7 catches)
237 Don Hutson, 1943 vs. Brooklyn (8 catches)
209 Don Hutson, 1942 vs. Cleveland Rams (13 catches)
205 Carroll Dale, 1968 vs. Detroit (6 catches)

MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES CAUGHT (Career)
101 Don Hutson, 1935-45, 11 sea.
50 Max McGee, 1954, 1957-67, 12 sea.
43 Billy Howton, 1952-58, 7 sea.
40 Boyd Dowler, 1959-69, 11 sea.

MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES CAUGHT (One Season)
17 Don Hutson, 1942
13 Bill Howton, 1952
12 Bill Howton, 1956
11 Don Hutson, 1943

The All-Time Top 20

SCORING

	TD	PAT	FG	TP	Yrs.
1. Don Hutson	105	172	7	823	11
2. Paul Hornung	62	190	66	760	9
3. Jim Taylor	91	0	0	546	9
4. Chester Marcol	1	155	120	521	9
5. Fred Cone	16	200	53	455	7
6. Ted Fritsch	37	62	36	392	9
7. Clarke Hinkle	43	31	28	373	10
8. Max McGee	51	0	0	306	11
9. Verne Lewellen	50	1	0	301	9
10. Don Chandler	0	117	48	261	3
11. Bill Howton	43	0	0	258	7
12. Boyd Dowler	40	0	0	240	11
13. Johnny Blood	37	2	0	224	7
14. Elijah Pitts	35	0	0	210	9
Carroll Dale	35	0	0	210	8
15. John Brockington	32	0	0	192	6
16. Donny Anderson	31	0	0	186	6
Tony Canadeo	31	0	0	186	11
17. Tobin Rote	30	0	0	180	7
18. Jerry Kramer	0	90	29	177	11
19. Tom Moore	27	0	0	162	6
20. Joe Laws	22	0	0	132	12
James Lofton	22	0	0	132	4

RUSHING

	Att.	Yds.	Ave.	Lg.	Yrs.
1. Jim Taylor	1,811	8,207	4.5	84	9
2. John Brockington	1,293	5,024	3.8	54	7
3. Tony Canadeo	1,025	4,197	4.1	54	11
4. Clarke Hinkle	1,171	3,860	3.2	58	10
5. Paul Hornung	893	3,712	4.1	55	9
6. Donny Anderson	787	3,165	4.0	54	6
7. Tobin Rote	419	2,202	5.2	55	7
8. Howie Ferguson	544	2,120	3.9	51	6
9. Ted Fritsch	619	2,094	3.4	55	9
10. Tom Moore	503	2,069	4.1	77	6
11. Terdell Middleton	559	2,044	3.6	76	5
12. Floyd Reid	459	2,032	4.4	69	6
13. Barty Smith	544	1,942	3.5	33	7
14. Joe Laws	470	1,916	4.0	—	12
15. MacArthur Lane	484	1,711	3.5	41	3
16. Elijah Pitts	479	1,684	3.5	34	9
17. Jim Grabowski	424	1,582	3.7	36	5
18. Cecil Isbell	422	1,522	3.6	41	5
19. Walt Schlinkman	365	1,455	3.9	44	4
20. Gerry Ellis	322	1,405	4.3	29	2

RECEIVING

	No.	Yds.	Ave.	Lg.	Yrs.
1. Don Hutson	489	8,010	16.3	92	11
2. Boyd Dowler	448	6,918	15.4	91	11
3. Max McGee	345	6,289	18.2	82	12
4. Billy Howton	303	5,581	18.4	90	7
5. Carroll Dale	275	5,412	19.6	89	8
6. James Lofton	242	4,306	17.8	75	4
7. Jim Taylor	187	1,505	8.0	41	9
8. Rich McGeorge	176	2,370	12.6	51	9
9. Ron Kramer	170	2,594	15.2	55	7
10. Paul Coffman	153	1,894	12.3	78	4
11. John Brockington	138	1,076	7.8	48	7
12. Gary Knafelc	136	1,939	14.2	53	9
13. Paul Hornung	130	1,480	11.3	83	9
14. Howie Ferguson	127	1,079	8.4	49	6
15. Donny Anderson	125	1,725	13.8	51	6
16. Barty Smith	120	959	7.9	42	6
17. Gerry Ellis	113	995	8.8	69	2
18. Bob Mann	109	1,643	15.1	59	4
Marv Fleming	109	1,300	12.9	53	7
19. Elijah Pitts	107	1,182	11.0	84	9
20. Ken Payne	103	1,395	13.5	54	4

COMBINED RUSHING-RECEIVING

	RUSHING		RECEIVING		COMBINED		
	Att.	Yds.	No.	Yds.	Att.	Yds.	Ave.
1. Jim Taylor	1,811	8,207	187	1,505	1,998	9,712	4.8
2. John Brockington	1,293	5,024	138	1,076	1,431	6,100	4.2
3. Paul Hornung	893	3,712	130	1,480	1,023	5,192	5.0
4. Donny Anderson	787	3,165	125	1,725	912	4,890	5.3
5. Tony Canadeo	1,025	4,197	69	579	1,094	4,776	4.3
6. Clarke Hinkle	1,171	3,860	31	390	1,202	4,250	3.5
7. Howie Ferguson	544	2,120	127	1,079	671	3,199	4.7
8. Floyd Reid	459	2,032	72	881	531	2,913	5.4
9. Barty Smith	543	1,942	120	959	663	2,901	4.3
10. Elijah Pitts	479	1,684	107	1,182	586	2,866	4.8
11. Tom Moore	503	2,069	71	645	574	2,714	4.7
12. Joe Laws	470	1,916	66	794	536	2,710	5.0
13. MacArthur Lane	484	1,711	87	847	571	2,558	4.4
14. Terdell Middleton	559	2,044	77	632	636	2,676	4.2
15. Gerry Ellis	322	1,405	113	995	435	2,400	5.5
16. Ted Fritsch	619	2,094	25	227	644	2,321	3.6
17. Jim Grabowski	424	1,582	65	575	489	2,157	4.4
18. Andy Uram	238	1,065	58	1,083	296	2,148	7.2
19. Eric Torkelson	350	1,303	59	464	409	1,767	4.3
20. Fred Cone	347	1,156	75	552	422	1,708	4.0

(Records of Clarke Hinkle and Joe Laws incomplete; figures on pass catching in their first two seasons, 1934-35, not available.)

MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES CAUGHT (One Game)
4 Don Hutson, 1945 vs. Detroit
3 Don Hutson, (7 times); Bill Howton, 1952 vs. Detroit; Max McGee (2 times), 1954 vs. Philadelphia, 1963 vs. Los Angeles; Andy Uram, 1942 vs. Chicago Cardinals; Bob Mann, 1951 vs. Philadelphia; James Lofton, 1978 vs. New Orleans

SCORING

MOST POINTS SCORED (Career)
823 Don Hutson, 1935-45, 11 sea. (105 TD, 172 PAT, 7 FG)
760 Paul Hornung, 1957-62, 64-66, 9 sea. (62 TD, 190 PAT, 66 FG)
546 Jim Taylor, 1958-65, 9 sea. (91 TD)
521 Chester Marcol, 1972-80, 9 sea. (155 PAT, 120 FG, 1 TD)

MOST POINTS SCORED (One Season)
176 Paul Hornung, 1960 (15 TD, 41 PAT, 15 FG)
146 Paul Hornung, 1961 (10 TD, 41 PAT, 15 FG)
138 Don Hutson, 1942 (17 TD, 33 PAT, 1 FG)
128 Chester Marcol, 1972 (29 PAT, 33 FG)

MOST POINTS SCORED (One Game)
33 Paul Hornung, 1961 vs. Baltimore (4 TD, 6 PAT, 1 FG)
31 Don Hutson, 1945 vs. Detroit (4 TD, 7 PAT)
30 Paul Hornung, 1965 vs. Baltimore (5 TD)
24 Don Hutson, 1942 vs. Chicago Cards (3 TD, 6 PAT); Jim Taylor (3 times) 1961 vs. Cleveland, 1962 vs. Chicago Bears, 1962 vs. Philadelphia (4 TD); Terdell Middleton, 1978 vs. Seattle (4 TD)

MOST TOUCHDOWNS (Career)
105 Don Hutson, 1935-45, 11 sea.
85 Jim Taylor, 1958-65, 8 sea.
62 Paul Hornung, 1957-62, 64-66, 9 sea.
51 Max McGee, 1954, 1957-67, 12 sea.

MOST TOUCHDOWNS (One Season)
19 Jim Taylor, 1962
17 Don Hutson, 1942
16 Jim Taylor, 1961
15 Paul Hornung, 1960; Jim Taylor, 1964

MOST TOUCHDOWNS (One Game)
5 Paul Hornung, 1965 vs. Baltimore
4 Jim Taylor (3 times, 1961 vs. Cleveland, 1962 vs. Chicago Bears, 1962 vs. Philadelphia; Don Hutson, 1945 vs. Detroit; Paul Hornung, 1961 vs. Baltimore; Billy Howton, 1952 vs. Detroit; Donny Anderson, 1967 vs. Cleveland; Terdell Middleton, 1978 vs. Seattle

MOST FIELD GOALS (Career)
120 Chester Marcol, 1972-80, 9 sea.
66 Paul Hornung, 1957-62, 64, 7 sea.
53 Fred Cone, 1951-57, 7 sea.
48 Don Chandler, 1965-67, 3 sea.

MOST FIELD GOALS (One Season)
33 Chester Marcol, 1972, 48 attempts
25 Chester Marcol, 1974, 39 attempts
22 Jan Stenerud, 1981, 24 attempts
21 Chester Marcol, 1973, 35 attempts

MOST FIELD GOALS (One Game)
4 Paul Hornung (2 times) 1961 vs. Minnesota, 1960 vs. Pittsburgh; Jerry Kramer, 1963 vs. Pittsburgh; Chester Marcol (5 times), 1972 vs. Cleveland and Detroit; 1973 vs. St. Louis; 1974 vs. Detroit and Minnesota. Tom Birney, 1979 vs. Detroit; Jan Stenerud, 1981 vs. New York Giants
3 Fred Cone, 1955 vs. Los Angeles; Paul Hornung (4 times), 1961 vs. San Francisco, 1962 vs. Detroit, 1964 vs. Chicago and Detroit; Don Chandler (2 times), 1966 vs. Detroit, 1967 vs. Minnesota; Jerry Kramer, 1963 vs. Minnesota; Jerry Kramer, 1968 vs. Philadelphia; Dale Livingston (2 times), 1970 vs. San Diego and Philadelphia; Tim Webster, 1971 vs. St. Louis; Chester Marcol (11 times), 1972 vs. Dallas, Atlanta, Chicago, Washington, Minnesota, New Orleans; 1973 vs. New York Jets, New York Giants, New Orleans; 1974 vs. Chicago; 1977

vs. Washington; Joe Danelo, 1975 vs. Atlanta; Tom Birney, 1980 vs. San Francisco; Jan Stenerud, 1981 vs. Los Angeles

LONGEST FIELD GOAL
53 Yards Jan Stenerud, 1981 vs. Tampa Bay
52 Yards Paul Hornung, 1964 vs. Chicago, on free kick; Ted Fritsch, 1950 vs. New York Yanks; Chester Marcol, 1974 vs. Baltimore
51 Yards Paul Hornung, 1961 vs. Chicago Bears; Chester Marcol (2 times), 1972 vs. Chicago and Washington
50 Yards Ted Fritsch, 1947 vs. Detroit; Tom Birney, 1980 vs. San Francisco; Jan Stenerud, 1981 vs. New York Giants

MOST POINTS AFTER TOUCHDOWN (Career)
200 Fred Cone, 1951-57, 7 sea.
190 Paul Hornung, 1957-62, 64, 7 sea.
174 Don Hutson, 1935-45, 11 sea.
155 Chester Marcol, 1972-80, 9 sea.

MOST POINTS AFTER TOUCHDOWN (One Season)
43 Jerry Kramer, 1963
41 Paul Hornung (3 times), 1960, 1961, 1964; Don Chandler, 1966
39 Jerry Kramer, 1962; Don Chandler, 1967
37 Don Chandler, 1965

MOST POINTS AFTER TOUCHDOWN (One Game)
8 Don Chandler, 1966 vs. Atlanta
7 Paul Hornung (2 times), 1961 vs. Cleveland, 1962 vs. Chicago Bears; Don Hutson, 1945 vs. Detroit; Jerry Kramer, 1962, Philadelphia; Don Chandler, 1967 vs. Cleveland

PUNTING

MOST PUNTS (Career)
496 Dave Beverly, 1975-80, 6 sea.
315 Donny Anderson, 1966-71, 6 sea.
256 Max McGee, 1954, 1957-62, 7 sea.
200 Jug Girard, 1948-51, 4 sea.

MOST PUNTS (One Season)
106 Dave Beverly, 1978
86 Dave Beverly, 1980
85 Dave Beverly, 1977
84 Dave Beverly, 1976

MOST PUNTS (One Game)
11 Jug Girard, 1950 vs. Chicago Bears, Ave. 38; Clive Rush, 1953 vs. Pittsburgh, Ave. 41
10 Jack Jacobs, 1948 vs. Chicago Bears, Ave. 39.2; Max McGee, 1959 vs. New York Giants, Ave. 44.1; Don Chandler, 1965 vs. Dallas, Ave. 42.4; Dave Beverly, 1976 vs. Cincinnati, Ave. 36.6

BEST PUNTING AVERAGE (One Season)
44.7 Jerry Norton, 1963, 51 punts
44.1 Boyd Dowler, 1961, 37 punts
43.5 Jack Jacobs, 1947, 57 punts
43.2 Dick Deschaine, 1955, 56 punts

LONGEST PUNT
90 Yards Don Chandler, 1965
78 Yards Jack Jacobs, 1948
75 Yards Boyd Dowler (2 times), 1961, 1962
74 Yards Jack Jacobs, 1947

PASS INTERCEPTIONS

MOST PASSES INTERCEPTED (Career)
52 Bobby Dillion, 1952-59, 8 sea.
48 Willie Wood, 1960-71, 12 sea.
41 Herb Adderley, 1961-69, 9 sea.
33 Irv Comp, 1943-49, 7 sea.

MOST PASSES INTERCEPTED (One Season)
10 Irv Comp, 1943
9 Bobby Dillion (3 times), 1953, 1955, 1957; Willie Wood, 1962; John Symank, 1957; Willie Buchanon, 1978
8 Bob Jeter, 1967; Bob Forte, 1947, Don Hutson, 1943
7 Don Hutson, 1942; Willie Wood, 1970

47 Years of Packer Team Statistics

	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981
Games	12	12	11	11	11	11	11	10	10	10	11	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	16	16	16	16	16
First Downs	125	148	140	134	149	154	166	176	134	147	131	160	206	172	182	174	218	197	189	207	213	212	178	177	217	232	274	281	258	250	201	231	243	240	242	194	208	195	187	214	211	210	196	226	279	306	308
Yards Rushing	1553	1664	1786	1571	1574	1604	1550	1374	1442	1517	1375	1765	2149	2061	1706	1196	1485	1665	1328	1883	1421	1441	1421	1907	2151	2350	2460	2248	2376	1888	1673	1915	1749	1692	1595	2227	2127	1973	1571	1547	1722	1464	2023	1851	1796	1670
Yards Passing	1416	1629	1398	1466	1871	1796	1731	2407	1909	1471	1530	841	1724	1364	1291	1831	2846	2688	1555	2159	1779	2398	1791	1820	1827	1875	2364	2331	2533	2105	2113	2602	2364	2275	2376	1814	1687	1412	1283	2036	2072	1730	1748	2084	2681	3291	3189
Total Yards Gained	2969	3293	3184	3037	3445	3400	3281	3790	3351	2988	2855	2606	2873	3133	3357	3537	4042	4173	3220	3487	3667	3819	3212	3241	3739	4025	4714	4791	4781	4381	3601	4275	4274	4024	4068	3409	3914	3663	3256	3607	3619	3452	4107	4542	5087	4859
Passes Attempted	230	255	216	210	248	283	253	330	253	253	218	178	253	274	299	367	478	337	352	412	348	353	325	348	268	279	306	311	345	321	305	318	331	319	351	351	254	237	255	385	394	357	327	444	511	514	
Passes Completed	93	108	95	91	101	118	133	172	114	105	87	54	112	109	91	140	231	151	147	195	159	171	157	161	128	137	177	187	119	186	166	193	182	188	177	182	177	121	101	119	187	212	164	180	240	289	286
Percent Passes Comp.	40.4	42.3	43.9	43.3	40.7	41.6	52.5	52.2	45.1	41.5	37.1	30.2	44.3	39.8	30.4	38.1	48.3	44.8	41.8	47.3	45.7	48.4	48.3	46.3	47.8	49.1	57.8	60.1	51.9	57.9	54.4	60.7	55.0	59.1	57.1	50.4	47.7	42.6	46.7	48.6	53.8	45.9	50.2	50.4	54.1	56.5	55.6
Passes Had Intercepted			13	16	19	24	24	18	19	29	29	37	29	25	34	19	19	18	23	27	17	13	16	13	21	6	14	5	27	15	17	24	24	9	17	21	22	27	21	18	22	29	24					
Points Scored	181	246	220	223	233	238	258	300	264	238	258	148	274	154	114	244	254	295	200	244	258	264	218	193	248	332	391	415	369	342	316	335	337	281	269	196	274	304	202	210	276	218	134	249	246	231	324
Touchdowns Rushing	12	13	14	10	17	12	16	13	15	19	21	13	15	8	15	7	12	14	13	11	13	13	7	15	20	27	36	22	26	14	18	18	12	11	8	19	17	10	10	14	15	5	16	14	13	11	
Touchdowns Passing	11	18	16	20	14	18	17	28	21	15	14	4	17	8	5	18	26	9	14	17	21	12	15	16	9	18	14	22	16	19	12	15	21	20	11	11	7	7	5	11	10	6	11	15	15	24	
Total Touchdowns	23	31	30	30	31	30	33	41	36	34	35	17	33	20	14	34	35	40	27	30	30	36	26	23	32	41	49	53	48	44	38	43	39	35	36	22	33	29	20	19	27	27	14	31	31	29	37
Points After TD	19	30	26	28	28	28	28	39	36	32	31	15	33	16	12	31	29	37	23	27	30	33	26	22	31	41	49	52	43	42	37	41	39	32	35	19	32	29	19	19	22	24	11	30	24	24	36
Field Goals	10	3	5	5	10	10	5	4	0	5	9	13	6	6	3	5	6	5	9	16	5	12	11	7	15	16	15	16	12	17	12	19	13	6	15	14	33	21	25	12	10	13	11	12	11	22	
Field Goals Attempted			14	18	20	20	10	15	5	13	17	29	16	22	17	24	21	16	16	24	8	21	21	17	28	24	21	34	39	26	28	29	29	22	25	48	35	39	17	19	21	19	20	19	24		
Safeties	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	1	1	2	2	0	0	1	1	2	2	1	3	2	2	1	1	1	3	4	3	2	2	5	7	6	2	5	3	5	3	4	2	2	3	4	2	1	2	
Punting Average	37	38	42	42	40	38	42	37	36	36	39	42	43	40	40	38	41	40	37	41	41	42	42	42	41	44	40	44.7	42.4	42.9	41.0	36.5	40.0	40.1	40.7	40.0	41.8	41.0	38.4	35.6	36.6	34.1	35.5	40.4	38.2	40.6	
Yards Penalized	295	476	791	750	759	795	509	717	403	558	723	693	1019	941	727	751	790	739	624	522	401	393	516	545	435	578	647	617	517	576	529	544	511	653	602	691	568	610	653	536	606	791	690	776	681	617	687
Own Fumbles	29	27	18	18	16	21	20	13	15	11	21	24	24	30	37	25	40	20	13	21	37	24	28	26	24	18	18	29	30	25	18	23	19	31	31	34	29	27	23	25	31	37	24	35	37	36	31
Own Fumbles Recovered	21	19	11	12	9	7	23	8	9	12	16	28	21	15	15	15	13	19	19	14	18	8	17	19	15	15	17	19	21	25	23	14	14	17	7	17	16	19	18	16	27	15	11	20	14	14	24
Opp Fumbles Recovered	2161	2664	2397	2594	2770	2532	2564	3070	2532	2359	3057	2660	3396	3179	4200	4703	4687	3712	3851	4350	3862	4710	4197	4615	3557	3442	4051	3777	3599	3119	3969	3603	3300	3595	3827	4055	4008	3726	3821	3641	4511	4723	4036	4963	5647	5781	5185
Opp Yards Gained					2770	2532	2564	3070	2532	2359	3057	2660	3396	3179	4200	4703	4687	3712	3851	4350	3862	4710	4197	4615	3557	3442	4051	3777	3599	3119	3969	3603	3300	3595	3827	4055	4008	3726	3821	3641	4511	4723	4036	4963	5647	5781	5185
Opp Yards Rushing						1221	1549	1112	1130	1349	1372	1696	2153	2077	1885	2152	1507	1246	1871	2174	2619	2159	2040	1770	1785	1694	1531	1586	1532	1988	1944	1932	1800	1982	1829	1707	1517	1999	1641	2339	2288	2317	2439	2685	2399	2098
Opp Yards Passing						1143	1471	1420	1229	1708	1288	1790	1626	2122	2818	2538	2205	2105	2479	1688	2091	2039	2575	1982	2157	2957	1146	2013	1647	1981	1959	1917	1796	1845	2226	2301	2209	1822	2000	2172	1835	1719	2524	2762	3382	3087	
Opp Passes Attempted	191	277	197	232	239	252	233	247	242	227	231	214	277	260	292	379	313	340	312	374	299	260	314	336	329	365	414	355	375	318	383	360	331	327	360	369	352	340	327	383	369	354	319	463	440	505	
Opp Passes Completed	61	91	70	97	106	98	104	100	111	89	111	94	122	134	130	185	157	162	144	208	119	144	153	175	169	192	218	187	180	173	187	202	155	157	177	177	177	185	174	180	188	197	196	254	249	259	284
Percent Opp Pass Comp.	31.9	35.7	35.5	39.1	44.1	38.8	44.6	41.6	45.9	39.4	48.0	44.1	51.5	47.3	44.5	48.8	50.2	47.6	46.2	55.6	45.6	55.4	48.7	52.1	51.4	52.6	52.7	47.6	54.4	48.8	51.8	46.0	48.0	49.2	48.0	52.8	51.2	55.0	49.1	52.0	55.4	58.3	54.6	56.6	56.3	56.2	
Opp Passes Intercepted	27	31	22	25	26	40	25	33	42	29	24	24	30	29	20	27	22	22	28	19	31	21	30	13	14	10	29	31	22	16	27	28	26	17	19	20	16	17	15	23	14	11	13	27	18	13	30
Opp Punts	96	117	122	118	153	155	120	115	112	141	173	158	210	200	329	406	375	312	338	251	276	342	311	382	346	309	321	348	306	245	224	163	209	227	221	293	248	228	259	206	285	299	219	269	316	371	361

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Mark Murphy's in there somewhere with ball. He had just intercepted pass against Bears in Green Bay and returned it 50 yards.

The 1981 Season . . . In Statistics

LEAGUE RESULTS (8-8)

		Score		Attendance	Site
(W)	16	Chicago	9	64,410	Chicago
(L)	17	Atlanta	31	56,191	Green Bay
(L)	23	Los Angeles	35	69,006	Anaheim
(L)	13	Minnesota	30	56,091	Milwaukee
(W)	27	New York Giants	14	76,613	E. Rutherford
(L)	10	Tampa Bay	21	56,191	Green Bay
(L)	3	San Francisco	13	55,950	Milwaukee
(L)	27	Detroit	31	80,638	Pontiac
(W)	34	Seattle	24	56,191	Green Bay
(W)	26	New York Giants	24	55,914	Milwaukee
(W)	21	Chicago	17	56,187	Green Bay
(L)	3	Tampa Bay	37	72,128	Tampa Bay
(W)	35	Minnesota	23	48,446	Bloomington
(W)	31	Detroit	17	56,161	Green Bay
(W)	35	New Orleans	7	54,012	New Orleans
(L)	3	New York Jets	28	60,370	New York

Totals and Averages: Green Bay 324 points, ave. 20.3; Opponents 361 points, ave. 22.3; Home Attendance 448,516, ave. 56,065; Away Attendance 525,623, ave. 65,702; Home and Away 974,139, ave. 60,883.

A Sweet Victory in Chicago

GAME ONE (1-0)

Green Bay	7	6	0	3—16
Chicago	0	0	6	3— 9

GB—Ivery (2, run) Stachowicz pass to Wingo for extra point.
GB—Ellis (5, run) Stenerud kick blocked.
Chi—Payton (11, run) Thomas kick wide left.
GB—FG Stenerud 33.
Chi—FG Thomas 25.

	GB	Chi
First Downs	20	20
Yards Rushing	193	145
Yards Passing	153	161
Passing	23-10-1	35-17-0
Offensive Plays	71	68
Punting	6-42	6-44
Penalties	6-52	10-72

Rushing: GB—Ellis 94 in 17, Ivery 72 in 14, Middleton 26 in 6, A. Thompson 2 in 1, Dickey 2 in 3, Atkins minus 3 in 5; Chi—Payton 81 in 19, Suhey 47 in 5, Harper 9 in 3, Williams 4 in 1, Evans 4 in 2.

Passing: GB—Dickey 23 atts, 10 comp, 165 yds, 1 int; Chi—Evans 35-17, 185 yds.

Receiving: GB—Lofton 5 for 84, Ivery 2-10, Coffman 1-27, A. Thompson 1-25, Nixon 1-19; Chi—Baschnagel 4-67, Payton 4-29, Suhey 1-19, Watts 2-35, Williams 2-19, Margerum 1-16.

Interceptions: Chi—Henderson.

Opp. Fumbles Rec: GB—Ane, Anderson, Gray, Harvey; Chi—Fencik, Walterscheid.

A Collapse in Fourth Quarter

GAME TWO (1-1)

Atlanta	0	0	0	31—31
Green Bay	7	7	3	0—17

GB—Swanke (2, Dickey pass) Stenerud kick.
GB—Ellis (11, Dickey pass) Stenerud kick.
GB—FG Stenerud 44.
Atl—FG Luckhurst 32.
Atl—Andrews (2, run) Luckhurst kick.
Atl—Jenkins (30, Bartkowski pass) Luckhurst kick.
Atl—Kuykendall (20, interception return) Luckhurst kick.
Atl—Williams (57, fumble return) Luckhurst kick.

	Atl.	GB
First Downs	19	22
Yards Rushing	112	96
Yards Passing	219	300
Passing	32-17-4	44-30-3
Offensive Plays	65	72
Punting	4-40.5	6-39.2
Penalties	4-68	3-10

Rushing: Atl—Andrews 87-19, Moroski 14-1, Cain 11-8, Bartkowski 0-2; GB—Ellis 59-9, Middleton 39-12, Atkins 2-1, Dickey minus 4-1.

Passing: Atl—Bartkowski 30 atts, 16 comp, 233 yds, 4 int, Moroski 2-1, 2 yds; GB—Dickey 44-30, 342 yds, 3 int.

Receiving: Atl—Jenkins 6-116, Francis 4-69, Cain 4-15, Miller 2-26, Andrews 1-9; GB—Lofton 8-179, Ellis 8-47, Coffman 6-68, Middleton 5-33, Nixon 1-8, Thompson 1-5, Swanke 1-2.

Interceptions: Atl—Pridemore, Glazebrook, Kuykendall; GB—Cumby, Harvey, McCoy, Lee.

Opp. Fumbles Rec: Atl—Francis, Williams.

Fumble Hurts in Loss to Rams

GAME THREE (1-2)

Green Bay	0	10	6	7—23
Los Angeles	0	14	7	14—35

GB—Ellis (3, run) Stenerud kick.
LA—Harris (21, fumble return) Corral kick.
LA—Tyler (2, run) Corral kick.
GB—FG Stenerud 19.
GB—FG Stenerud 23.
GB—FG Stenerud 44.
LA—Hill (30, Rutledge pass) Corral kick.
LA—Bryant (2, run) Corral kick.
LA—Tyler (1, run) Corral kick.
GB—Lofton (19, Dickey pass) Stenerud kick.

	GB	LA
First Downs	19	19
Yards Rushing	122	177
Yards Passing	78	26
Passing	34-15-1	12-6-1
Offensive Plays	73	60
Punting	6-45.5	7-39.7
Penalties	11-95	14-120

Rushing: GB—Middleton 45 in 11, Jensen 27-9, Whitehurst 15-2, Dickey 13-2, Atkins 13-5, Ellis 9-4; LA—Tyler 108-25, Bryant 38-8, Guman 21-5, J. Thomas 12-4, Rutledge minus 2-1.

Passing: GB—Dickey 29 atts, 15 comp, 125 yds, 1 int, Whitehurst 5-0; LA—Haden 2-1, 6 yds, Rutledge 10-5, 70 yds, 1 int.

Receiving: GB—Lofton 5-73, Coffman 3-16, G. Lewis 2-24, Ellis 1-6, Jensen 1-5, Atkins 1-2, Huckleby 1-3, Middleton 1-minus 4.

Interceptions: GB—Harvey; LA—P. Thomas.

Opp. Fumbles Rec: GB—Merrill, Jones; LA—Irvin, Harris, Jones.

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Vikes Overcome Deficit, Whip Pack

GAME FOUR (1-3)

Minnesota	0	20	10	0—30
Green Bay	10	0	3	0—13

GB—Lofton (6, Dickey pass) Stenerud kick
GB—FG Stenerud 24
Minn—FG Danmeier 34
Minn—Holloway (45, fumble return) Danmeier kick
Minn—FG Danmeier 30
Minn—Bruer (1, Kramer pass) Danmeier kick
Minn—Rashad (7, Kramer pass) Danmeier kick
GB—FG Stenerud 27
Minn—FG Danmeier 25

	Minn	GB
First Downs	27	22
Yards Rushing	157	71
Yards Passing	253	245
Passing	34-19-0	40-22-0
Offensive Plays	66	67
Punting	0-0	4-42.7
Penalties	8-88	9-79

Rushing: Minn—Brown 109 in 21, Galbreath 39-5, Young 9-6. GB—Jensen 35-7, Jefferson 15-1, Huckleby 13-4, Middleton 5-5, Whitehurst 3-1, Dickey 0-1.

Passing: Minn—Kramer 34 atts, 19 comp, 253 yds. GB—Dickey 33-19, 251 yds, Whitehurst 7-3, 52 yds.

Receiving: Minn—Rashad 5-66, Senser 4-66, White 3-57, Young 3-19, Brown 2-23, LaCount 1-21, Bruer 1-1; GB—Lofton 8-101, Jefferson 7-121, Coffman 5-67, Middleton 1-7, Jensen 1-7.

Opp. Fumbles Rec.: Minn—Holloway, LaCount. GB—Murphy 2, Lee.

Pack Tough in Win Over Giants

GAME FIVE (2-3)

Green Bay	3	10	7	7—27
New York Giants	0	0	7	7—14

GB—FG Stenerud 50
GB—Coffman (1, Dickey pass) Stenerud kick
GB—FG Stenerud 35
GB—Huckleby (1, run) Stenerud kick
NY—Kotar (1, run) Danelo kick
GB—Jefferson (26, Dickey pass) Stenerud kick
NY—Gray (2, Simms pass) Danelo kick

	GB	NY
First Downs	27	17
Yards Rushing	148	41
Yards Passing	192	221
Passing	23-18-1	32-20-2
Offensive Plays	74	49
Punting	2-50.5	4-42.8
Penalties	12-90	9-70

Rushing: GB—Huckleby 88 in 30, Ellis 56-18, Torkelson 4-1; NY—Kotar 31-9, Perry 7-3, Bright 2-2, Simms 1-2.

Passing: GB—Dickey 22 atts, 17 comp, 208 yds, 1 int, Ellis 1-1, 23 yds; NY—Simms 32-20, 230 yds, 2 int.

Receiving: GB—Coffman 6-92, Lofton 5-75, Ellis 3-16, Jefferson 2-31, Huckleby 2-17; NY—Friede 5-73, Perkins 4-69, Kotar 4-10, Bright 3-32, Gray 2-27, Mistler 1-14, Shirk 1-5.

Interceptions: GB—Douglass, Lee; NY—Reece.

Opp. Fumbles Rec.: None.

Bucs Stop Packers' Offense

GAME SIX (2-4)

Tampa Bay	0	7	14	0—21
Green Bay	7	0	0	3—10

GB—Ellis (7, run) Stenerud kick
TB—Giles (5, Williams pass) Capece kick
TB—Williams (1, run) Capece kick
TB—Wilder (1, run) Capece kick
GB—FG Stenerud 34

	TB	GB
First Downs	23	17
Yards Rushing	172	95
Yards Passing	199	203
Passing	23-15-1	33-19-4
Offensive Plays	69	57
Punting	4-40.3	4-41.3
Penalties	5-35	3-19

Rushing: TB—Eckwood 84 in 22, Wilder 60-17, Williams 14-5, Owens 6-1; GB—Huckleby 57-12, Ellis 35-8, Jensen 3-1, Dickey 0-1.

Passing: TB—Williams 23 atts, 15 comp, 199 yds, 1 int; GB—Dickey 33-19, 219 yds, 4 int.

Receiving: TB—Giles 6-85, Wilder 5-54, House 1-21, Obradovich 1-16, Bell 1-13, Carter 1-10; GB—Ellis 6-48, Huckleby 5-42, Lofton 4-86, Jefferson 2-26, Coffman 2-17.

Interceptions: TB—C. Johnson, Brantley, Colzie, Green; GB—Douglass.

Opp. Fumbles Rec.: Cumby.

Pack Unable to Score Touchdown

GAME SEVEN (2-5)

San Francisco	0	3	7	3—13
Green Bay	0	3	0	0— 3

GB—FG Stenerud 26
SF—FG Wersching 26
SF—Davis (1, run) Wersching kick
SF—FG Wersching 32

	SF	GB
First Downs	21	13
Yards Rushing	126	78
Yards Passing	201	165
Passing	32-23-0	24-14-0
Offensive Plays	80	47
Punting	7-35.9	7-40
Penalties	7-35	4-35

Rushing: SF—Davis 64 in 15, Cooper 41-14, Patton 13-6, Hofer 3-8, Easley 3-3, Montana 2-1; GB—Ellis 50-7, Huckleby 20-10, Dickey 0-1, Whitehurst 0-1.

Passing: SF—Montana 32 atts, 23 comp, 210 yds; GB—Dickey 18-11, 156 yds, Whitehurst 6-3, 37 yds, 1 int.

Receiving: SF—Clark 6-55, Hofer 5-44, Solomon 4-49, Patton 3-31, Cooper 2-19, Lawrence 1-5, Young 1-4, Davis 1-3; GB—Ellis 5-50, Coffman 3-67, Jefferson 3-47, Jensen 1-16, Lofton 1-13, Huckleby 1-0.

Interceptions: SF—Hicks.

Opp. Fumbles Rec.: None.

Defense Can't Hold Late Lead

GAME EIGHT (2-6)

Green Bay	7	3	10	7—27
Detroit	7	10	7	7—31

Det—Hipple (6, run) Murray kick
GB—Lofton (75, Lofton pass) Stenerud kick
GB—FG Stenerud 27
Det—FG Murray 37
Det—Hill (1, Hipple pass) Murray kick
GB—FG Stenerud 39
Det—Kane (2, run) Murray kick
GB—Ellis (46, Whitehurst pass) Stenerud kick
GB—Ellis (1, run) Stenerud kick
Det—Hipple (5, run) Murray kick

	GB	Det
First Downs	23	24
Yards Rushing	75	171
Yards Passing	307	238
Passing	43-24-1	36-20-1
Offensive Plays	67	78
Punting	3-42	3-46.7
Penalties	5-47	9-75

Rushing: GB—Ellis 32 in 11, Whitehurst 21-2, Middleton 14-4, Huckleby 8-4; Det—Kane 80-21, V. Thompson 44-6, Hipple 20-5, Bussey 20-5, Nichols 7-1.

Passing: GB—Whitehurst 36 atts, 20 comp, 243 yds, 1 int, Dickey 7-4, 97; Det—Hipple 36-20, 271 yds, 1 int.

Receiving: GB—Ellis 7 for 89, Huckleby 6-41, Coffman 5-73, Lofton 2-98, Jefferson 2-26, Middleton 1-7, Cassidy 1-6.

Interceptions: GB—Harvey; Det—Fanietti.

Opp. Fumbles Rec.: GB—Anderson, Det—Cobb, Green.

Whitehurst Paces See-Saw Victory

GAME NINE (3-6)

Seattle	7	14	3	0—24
Green Bay	7	14	7	6—34

Sea—Harris (42, interception return) Herrera kick
GB—Coffman (7, Whitehurst pass) Stenerud kick
Sea—Doornink (12, Zorn pass) Herrera kick
GB—Whitehurst (1, run) Stenerud kick
GB—Lofton (8, Whitehurst pass) Stenerud kick
Sea—Doornink (14, Zorn pass) Herrera kick
Sea—FG Herrera 54
GB—Lofton (38, Whitehurst pass) Stenerud kick
GB—FG Stenerud 19
GB—FG Stenerud 36

	Sea	GB
First Downs	15	25
Yards Rushing	119	182
Yards Passing	102	195
Passing	28-14-1	31-19-2
Offensive Plays	59	76
Punting	7-38.7	5-35.6
Penalties	7-65	6-39

Rushing: Sea—Brown 89 in 17, Doornink 22-5, Jodat 7-2, Zorn 2-1, Smith minus 1-1; GB—Ellis 127-23, Huckleby 25-8, Middleton 16-6, Whitehurst 9-4, Jensen 5-2.

Passing: Sea—Zorn 23 atts, 12 comp, 108 yds, Krieg 5-2, 25 yds, 1 int; GB—Whitehurst 31-19, 205 yds, 2 int.

Receiving: Sea—Doornink 5 for 36, Largent 3-45, Smith 3-18, McCullum 2-26, Brown 1-8; GB—Lofton 4-63, Ellis 4-11, Coffman 3-30, Middleton 2-35, Huckleby 2-31, Jensen 2-21, Jefferson 2-14.

Interceptions: Sea—Harris 2; GB—Wingo.

Opp. Fumbles Rec.: Sea—Norman; GB—Coffman, Whitaker.

Jan's Fourth FG Trims Giants

GAME TEN (4-6)

New York Giants	0	14	0	10—24
Green Bay	20	3	0	3—26

GB—Hood (41, interception return) Stenerud kick
GB—Lee (94, punt return) Stenerud kick
GB—FG Stenerud 32
GB—FG Stenerud 28
NY—Shirk (18, Brunner pass) Danelo kick
NY—Perkins (24, Brunner pass) Danelo kick
GB—FG Stenerud 35
NY—Friede (7, Brunner pass) Danelo kick
NY—FG Danelo 33
GB—FG Stenerud 23

	NY	GB
First Downs	16	13
Yards Rushing	88	82
Yards Passing	233	185
Passing	46-23-4	31-14-2
Offensive Plays	79	63
Punting	4-45	6-40.8
Penalties	8-54	1-5

Rushing: NY—Carpenter 38 in 15, Bright 30-7, Perry 18-5, Kotar 4-2, Brunner minus 2-2; GB—Ellis 75-20, Huckleby 11-5, Middleton 2-1, Jensen minus 3-1, Whitehurst minus 3-3.

Passing: NY—Brunner 46 atts, 23 comp, 251 yds, 4 int; GB—Dickey 27-10, 143 yds, 2 int, Whitehurst 4-4, 60 yds.

Receiving: NY—Bright 6 for 78, Perkins 5-82, Mulladay 3-20, Shirk 3-27, Friede 2-20, Carpenter 2-18, Perry 1-9, Kotar 1-minus 3; GB—Coffman 4-68, Jefferson 3-71, Huckleby 3-7, Ellis 2-45, Lofton 2-12.

Interceptions: NY—T. Jackson; GB—Hood 2, Anderson, Murphy.

Opp. Fumbles Rec.: GB—Merrill 2, Douglass.

Pack Holds Early Lead, Tips Bears

GAME ELEVEN (5-6)

Chicago	10	0	0	7—17
Green Bay	7	14	0	0—21

Chi—FG Roveto 36
GB—Huckleby (1, Whitehurst pass) Stenerud kick
Chi—Suhey (1, run) Roveto kick
GB—Huckleby (29, Whitehurst pass) Stenerud kick
GB—Middleton (2, Whitehurst pass) Stenerud kick
Chi—Payton (2, run) Roveto kick

	Chi	GB
First Downs	20	18
Yards Rushing	165	114
Yards Passing	88	133
Passing	29-13-3	32-11-1
Offensive Plays	71	67
Punting	7-39.7	8-41.5
Penalties	5-59	4-32

Rushing: Chi—105 in 22, Evans 31-4, Suhey 18-12, Magerum 11-1; GB—Huckleby 71-17, Ellis 37-13, Middleton 8-2, Whitehurst minus 2-2.

Passing: Chi—Evans 29 atts, 13 comp, 114 yds, 3 int; GB—Whitehurst 31-11, 140 yds, 1 int, Ellis 1-0.

Receiving: Chi—Suhey 4 for 11, Watts 3-52, Payton 2-8, D. Williams 2-8, Earl 1-23, Baschnagel 1-12; GB—Lofton 5-80, Coffman 3-18, Huckleby 2-40, Middleton 1-2.

Interceptions: Chi—Fisher; GB—Murphy, Lee.

Opp. Fumbles Rec.: Chi—Harris.

Pack Hurt, Outplayed in Tampa

GAME TWELVE (5-7)

Green Bay	0	0	0	3— 3
Tampa Bay	3	24	0	10—37

TB—FG Capece 47
TB—Brown (81, interception return) Capece kick
TB—Owens (35, run) Capece kick
TB—T. Bell (7, Williams pass) Capece kick
TB—FG Capece 51
GB—FG Stenerud 53
TB—Giles (2, Fusina pass) Capece kick

	GB	TB
First Downs	14	23
Yards Rushing	70	210
Yards Passing	212	138
Passing	38-21-4	24-13-1

Offensive Plays	60	69
Punting	4-45.2	0-0
Penalties	4-37	2-15

Rushing: GB—55 in 12, Huckleby 15-6, Jensen 0-2. TB—Owens 112-16, R. Bell 27-7, Wilder 25-8, Eckwood 22-6, Williams 13-3, Fusina 7-1, Davis 3-1, House 1-1.

Passing: GB—Campbell 30 atts, 15 comp, 168 yds, 4 int. Whitehurst 8-6, 55 yds. TB—Williams 23-12, 148 yds, 1 int. Fusina 1-1, 2 yds.

Receiving: GB—Ellis 11 for 76, Lofton 6-102, Jefferson 2-10, Coffman 2-35. TB—Giles 4-53, Owens 4-44, Wilder 2-22, House 1-13, R. Bell 1-11, T. Bell 1-7.

Interceptions: GB—Lee. TB—Brown 2, Colzie, Holl.

Opp. Fumbles Rec: GB—Jones, Anderson.

Down 14-0, Packers Whip Vikings

GAME THIRTEEN (6-7)

Green Bay	0	14	14	7—35
Minnesota	14	0	6	3—23

Minn—Rashad (50, Kramer pass) Danmeier kick.
Minn—Senser (13, Kramer pass) Danmeier kick.
GB—Huckleby (1, run) Stenerud kick.
GB—Jefferson (30, Dickey pass) Stenerud kick.
GB—Huckleby (9, Dickey pass) Stenerud kick.
Minn—Brown (6, run) Danmeier kick wide.
GB—Huckleby (1, run) Stenerud kick.
GB—Lofton (47, Dickey pass) Stenerud kick.
Minn—FG Danmeier 22.

	GB	Minn
First Downs	35	23
Yards Rushing	115	28
Yards Passing	294	376
Passing	33-18-0	55-38-5
Offensive Plays	74	67
Punting	5-34.6	6-36.3
Penalties	7-61	8-56

Rushing: GB—Ellis 77 in 19, Huckleby 25-14, Middleton 13-2, Jensen 2-1, Dickey minus 2-5. Minn—Brown 28-11.

Passing: GB—Dickey 33 atts, 18 comp, 294 yds, 2 int. Kramer 55-38, 384 yds, 5 int.

Receiving: GB—Lofton 7 for 159, Ellis 6-62, Jefferson 2-43, Huckleby 2-20, Coffman 1-10. Minn—Senser 11-98, Brown 7-42, S. White 6-77, Rashad 4-87, Galbreath 4-35, LeCount 3-33, Young 3-12.

Interceptions: GB—Hood, Lee, Harvey, Anderson, Douglass. Minn—Hannon, Swain.

Opp. Fumbles Rec: Minn—J. White, Siemon.

Pack Slams Back, Rips Lions

GAME FOURTEEN (7-7)

Detroit	3	7	7	0—17
Green Bay	0	14	7	10—31

Det—FG Murray 38.
Det—V. Thompson (9, run) Murray kick.
GB—Huckleby (1, run) Stenerud kick.
GB—Coffman (5, Dickey pass) Stenerud kick.
GB—Lofton (15, Dickey pass) Stenerud kick.
Det—Simms (3, run) Murray kick.
GB—Huckleby (1, run) Stenerud kick.
GB—FG Stenerud 36.

	Det	GB
First Downs	20	24
Yards Rushing	143	68
Yards Passing	217	265
Passing	33-17-2	31-20-0
Offensive Plays	68	67
Punting	3-36.7	5-35.8
Penalties	6-39	2-31

Rushing: Det—Sims 64 in 20, V. Thompson 34-5, Hipple 27-4, Bussey 18-2. GB—Ellis 46-13, Huckleby 18-17, Jefferson 7-1, Dickey minus 3-3.

Passing: Det—Hipple 33 atts, 17 comp, 240 yds, 2 int. GB—Dickey 31-20, 279 yds.

Receiving: Det—Scott 5 for 89, Sims 4-72, L. Thompson 3-60, Bussey 2-minus 3, Hill 1-15, King 1-5, Kane 1-2. GB—Jefferson 8-113, Coffman 5-67, Lofton 4-90, Ellis 3-9.

Interceptions: GB—Cumby, Anderson.

Opp. Fumbles Rec: None.

Dickey Throws 5 TDs at Saints

GAME FIFTEEN (8-7)

Green Bay	14	7	7	7—35
New Orleans	0	0	7	0—7

GB—Ellis (9, Dickey pass) Stenerud kick.
GB—Jefferson (24, Dickey pass) Stenerud kick.
GB—Lofton (25, Dickey pass) Stenerud kick.
NO—G. Rogers (1, run) Ricardo kick.
GB—Coffman (2, Dickey pass) Stenerud kick.
GB—Jefferson (30, Dickey pass) Stenerud kick.

	GB	NO
First Downs	17	16
Yards Rushing	116	87
Yards Passing	202	165
Passing	21-19-0	21-14-4
Offensive Plays	52	55
Punting	4-43.5	3-41.3
Penalties	4-30	1-12

Rushing: GB—Ellis 64 in 11, Huckleby 29-10, Middleton 13-4, Jensen 10-4. NO—G. Rogers 70-26, Tyler 9-2, Stauch 5-1, Holmes 2-1, J. Rogers 2-3, Groth minus 1-1.

Passing: GB—Dickey 21 atts, 19 comp, 218 yds. NO—Manning 15-10, 121 yds, 3 int, D. Wilson 6-4, 44 yds, 1 int.

Receiving: GB—Ellis 5 for 26, Jefferson 4-91, Coffman 4-30, Lofton 3-52, Lewis 1-7, Huckleby 1-6, Middleton 1-6. NO—Merkens 3-67, Groth 2-15, G. Rogers 2-4, Holmes 2-3, Brenner 1-26, Tyler 1-18, Hardy 1-16, J. Rogers 1-9, Stauch 1-7.

Interceptions: GB—Harvey 2, McCoy, Cumby. Opp. Fumbles Rec: GB—Allerman, Cumby.

Jets Stop Packers' Attack

GAME SIXTEEN (8-8)

Green Bay	0	3	0	0—3
New York Jets	7	14	0	7—28

NY—Long (1, run) Leahy kick.
GB—FG Stenerud 31.
NY—Harper (3, run) Leahy kick.
NY—Lam Jones (47, Todd pass) Leahy kick.
NY—Walker (38, Todd pass) Leahy kick.

	GB	NY
First Downs	8	22
Yards Rushing	45	153
Yards Passing	39	240
Passing	33-12-1	33-15-1
Offensive Plays	67	83
Punting	9-34.2	4-32.5
Penalties	3-16	5-53

Rushing: GB—Ellis 44 in 11, Huckleby 1-2, Dickey 0-2. NY—McNeil 70-18, Long 57-15, Dierking 20-7, Newton 7-2, Harper 1-4, Todd minus 2-3.

Passing: GB—Dickey 33 atts, 12 comp, 96 yds, 1 int. NY—Todd 33-15, 247 yds, 1 int.

Receiving: GB—Ellis 4 for 14, Jefferson 2-39, Lofton 2-27, Huckleby 2-14, Coffman 2-2. NY—Lam Jones 3-68, Dierking 3-38, Harper 3-30, Walker 2-54, Barkum 2-29, B. Jones 1-19, McNeil 1-9.

Interceptions: GB—Murphy. NY—Mehl.

Opp. Fumbles Rec: GB—Harvey, Anderson, Douglass. NY—Woodring, Springs.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Green Bay	89	108	64	63—324
Opponents	51	127	81	102—361

TEAM FIGURES

	GB	Opp.
Total First Downs	308	326
By Rushing	104	140
By Passing	174	168
By Penalty	30	18
Third Downs Made/Att.	72/210	103/230
Third Down Efficiency	34.3	44.8
Total Net Yards	4859	5181
Avg. Per Game	303.7	323.8
Total Plays	1044	1086
Avg. Per Play	4.7	4.8
Net Yards Rushing	1670	2094
Avg. Per Game	104.4	130.9
Total Rushes	478	545
Avg. Per Rush	3.5	3.8
Net Yards Passing	3189	3087
Avg. Per Game	199.3	192.9
Tackled/Yards Lost	52/387	36/266
Gross Yards	3676	3353
Attempts/Completions	514/286	505/284
Pct. of Completions	55.6	56.2
Had Intercepted	24	30
Punts/Average	84/39.6	69/39/7
Net Punting Average	31.4	33.8
Penalties/Yards	84/687	108/907
Fumbles/Ball Lost	31/17	42/24
Touchdowns	37	45
Rushing	11	21
Passing	24	18
Returns	2	6
Extra Points/Attempts	36/37	43/45
Field Goals/Attempts	22/24	16/24
Total Points	324	361

INDIVIDUAL FIGURES

RUSHING

	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Ellis	196	860	4.4	29	4
Huckleby	139	381	2.7	22	5
Middleton	53	181	3.4	34	0
Jensen	27	79	2.9	15	0

Others: Ivery 14-72, Whitehurst 15-51, Jefferson 2-22, Atkins 11-12, Dickey 19-6, Torkelson 1-4, A. Thompson 1-2.

RECEIVING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Lofton	71	1294	18.2	75	8
Ellis	65	499	7.8	46	3
Coffman	55	687	12.5	28	4
Jefferson	39	632	16.2	41	4
Huckleby	27	221	8.2	39	3
Middleton	12	86	7.2	27	1

Others: Jensen 5-49, Lewis 3-31, Nixon 2-27, Ivery 2-10, A. Thompson 2-30, Cassidy 1-6, Swanke 1-2, Atkins 1-2.

PASSING

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	TD	Int.
Dickey	354	204	2593	57.6	17	15
Whitehurst	138	66	792	51.6	7	5
Campbell	30	15	168	50.0	0	4
Ellis	2	1	23	50.0	0	0

INTERCEPTIONS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Harvey	6	217	36.2	53	0
Lee	6	50	8.3	25	0
Hood	3	59	19.7	41	1
Murphy	3	57	19.0	50	0
Cumby	3	22	7.3	17	0
Douglass	3	20	6.7	13	0
Anderson	3	12	4.0	8	0
McCoy	2	20	10.0	16	0
Wingo	1	38	38.0	38	0

SCORING

	Tdr	Tdp	Tdrt	Ept	Fg	Tp
Stenerud	0	0	0	35-36	22-24	101
Huckleby	5	3	0	0	0	48
Lofton	0	8	0	0	0	48
Ellis	4	3	0	0	0	42
Coffman	0	4	0	0	0	24
Jefferson	0	4	0	0	0	24

Others: Whitehurst 6 on Tdr, Lee 6 on Tdrt, Hood 6 on Tdrt, Swanke 6 on Tdp, Ivery 6 on Tdr, Middleton 6 on Tdp, Wingo 1 on pass from Stachowicz for extra point.

PUNTING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TB	In 20	L	Bl.
Stachowicz	82	3330	40.6	9	15	72	2

PUNT RETURNS

	No.	FC	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Lee	20	1	188	9.4	94	1
Nixon	16	4	118	7.4	17	0
Cassidy	2	4	0	0.0	0	0
Whitaker	2	0	1	0.5	1	0
Gray	1	1	0	0.0	0	0

KICKOFF RETURNS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Lee	14	270	19.3	31	0
Nixon	12	222	18.5	25	0
McCoy	11	221	20.1	36	0

Others: Huckleby 7-134; Middleton 6-100; Coffman 3-77; Gray 2-24; Jensen 1-15; Jefferson 1-3; Braggs 1-0; C. Lewis 1-0.

QB SACKS: Butler 10½, Douglass 9½, Merrill 7, Johnson 4½, Wingo 2, Gray 1, Anderson 1, Turner ½.

OPP. FUMBLES RECOVERED: Anderson 4, Merrill 3, Harvey 2, Jones 2, Murphy 2, Cumby 2, Douglass 2, Ane 1, Gray 1, Lee 1, Coffman 1, Whitaker 1, Allerman 1.

PRE-SEASON (3-1)

AT DALLAS

Green Bay	7	14	0	0—21
Dallas	0	7	0	10—17

GB: TD—Atkins, Ivery, A. Thompson. PAT—Vernon 3. Dall: TD—Cosbie, Walls. FG—Steinke 49. PAT—Castro, Steinke. Attendance—55,087.

AT MILWAUKEE

Oakland	0	7	0	7—14
Green Bay	14	10	0	10—34

Oak: TD—Jensen, Barnwell. PAT—Bahr 2. GB—Ivery, Lofton, Lee, Torkelson. FG—Savich 30, Stenerud 53. PAT—Savich 3, Stenerud. Attendance—54,710.

AT DENVER

Green Bay	7	0	0	0—7
Denver	0	0	0	7—17

GB: TD—Gray. PAT—Stenerud. Den: TD—Lytle 2. FG—Steinfort 23. PAT—Steinfort 2. Attendance—72,450.

AT GREEN BAY

Cleveland	0	12	6	0—18
Green Bay	14	7	14	0—35

Clev: TD—White, Logan, Newsome; TD—Ivery 2, A. Thompson 2, Ellis. PAT—Stenerud 5. Attendance—56,191.

Opponents and League Section

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Enemy Tied, Too

The Packers broke even in their 16-game card in 1981, finishing with a 6-2 flourish to reach .500.

And would you believe their 12 opponents in 1982 also finished at a collective .500 in 1981. Their record was 95 wins, 95 losses and 2 ties.

However, if you think the Pack might have things just a little easier, forget it.

Six of the enemy gained the 1981 playoffs and they posted 59 wins, 35 losses and 2 ties for a winning percentage of .625—as follows: Dolphins 11-4-1, Jets 10-5-1, Eagles and Bills, 10-6 each, Bucs and Giants 9-7 each.

The other six performed at a .375 clip on 36 wins and 60 losses—as follows: Lions 8-8, Vikings and Falcons 7-9 each, Bears and Rams 6-10 each, and Colts 2-14.

The NFL in 1981

AMERICAN FOOTBALL CONFERENCE

Eastern Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
*Miami	11	4	1	.719	345	275
#N.Y. Jets	10	5	1	.656	355	287
#Buffalo	10	6	0	.625	311	276
Baltimore	2	14	0	.125	259	533
New England	2	14	0	.125	322	370

Western Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
*San Diego	10	6	0	.625	478	390
Denver	10	6	0	.625	321	289
Kansas City	9	7	0	.563	343	290
Oakland	7	9	0	.438	273	343
Seattle	6	10	0	.375	322	388

Central Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
*Cincinnati	12	4	0	.750	421	304
Pittsburgh	8	8	0	.500	356	297
Houston	7	9	0	.438	281	355
Cleveland	5	11	0	.313	276	375

*Division Champion #Wild Card for Playoffs

NATIONAL FOOTBALL CONFERENCE

Eastern Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
*Dallas	12	4	0	.750	367	277
#Philadelphia	10	6	0	.625	368	221
#N.Y. Giants	9	7	0	.563	295	257
Washington	8	8	0	.500	347	349
St. Louis	7	9	0	.438	315	408

Western Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
*San Francisco	13	3	0	.813	357	250
Atlanta	7	9	0	.438	426	355
Los Angeles	6	10	0	.375	303	351
New Orleans	4	12	0	.250	207	378

Central Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
*Tampa Bay	9	7	0	.563	315	268
Detroit	8	8	0	.500	397	322
Green Bay	8	8	0	.500	324	361
Minnesota	7	9	0	.438	325	369
Chicago	6	10	0	.375	253	324

*Division Champion #Wild Card for Playoffs

AFC ALL-TIME STANDINGS

	W	L	T	Pct.
Oakland Raiders (22 Sea.)	195	110	11	.639
Cleveland Browns (32)	268	157	9	.630
Miami Dolphins (16)	138	90	4	.605
San Diego Chargers (22)	165	140	11	.540
Kansas City Chiefs (22)	164	142	10	.535
Baltimore Colts (31)	216	188	6	.534
Cincinnati Bengals (14)	99	104	1	.487
Houston Oilers (22)	148	162	6	.477
Pittsburgh Steelers (47)	273	312	19	.466
New England Patriots (22)	141	166	9	.459
Buffalo Bills (22)	137	171	8	.444
New York Jets (22)	136	173	7	.440
Denver Broncos (22)	132	175	9	.429
Seattle Seahawks (6)	35	57	0	.380

NFC ALL-TIME STANDINGS

	W	L	T	Pct.
Dallas Cowboys (22 Sea.)	196	112	6	.636
Chicago Bears (61)	462	293	42	.611
Los Angeles Rams (36)	272	191	18	.587
Minnesota Vikings (21)	167	126	9	.569
Green Bay Packers (61)	419	325	37	.563
New York Giants (57)	384	307	29	.555
Washington Redskins (44)	285	271	21	.512
Detroit Lions (48)	297	293	24	.503
St. Louis Cardinals (22)	148	154	12	.490
San Francisco 49ers (32)	199	223	12	.471
Philadelphia Eagles (48)	252	321	19	.439
Atlanta Falcons (16)	91	137	4	.399
Tampa Bay Buccaneers (6)	29	60	1	.325
New Orleans Saints (15)	59	154	5	.276

AFC DIVISION PLAYOFFS

Wild Card: Buffalo 31, New York Jets 27
San Diego 41, Miami 38 (overtime)
Cincinnati 28, Buffalo 21

AFC CHAMPIONSHIP

Cincinnati 27, San Diego 7

NFC DIVISION PLAYOFFS

Wild Card: New York Giants 27, Philadelphia 21
Dallas 38, Tampa Bay 0
San Francisco 38, New York Giants 24

NFC CHAMPIONSHIP

San Francisco 28, Dallas 27

Super Bowl Capsule

Bowl	Year	Result	Site	Attend.
I	—1967	Green Bay (NFL) 35, Kansas City (AFL) 10	Los Angeles	61,946
II	—1968	Green Bay (NFL) 33, Oakland (AFL) 14	Miami	75,546
III	—1969	New York (AFL) 16, Baltimore (NFL) 7	Miami	75,389
IV	—1970	Kansas City (AFL) 23, Minnesota (NFL) 7	New Orleans	80,562
V	—1971	Baltimore (AFC) 16, Dallas (NFC) 13	Miami	79,204
VI	—1972	Dallas (NFC) 24, Miami (AFC) 3	New Orleans	81,023
VII	—1973	Miami (AFC) 14, Washington (NFC) 7	Los Angeles	90,182
VIII	—1974	Miami (AFC) 24, Minnesota (NFC) 7	Houston	71,882
IX	—1975	Pittsburgh (AFC) 16, Minnesota (NFC) 6	New Orleans	79,997
X	—1976	Pittsburgh (AFC) 21, Dallas (NFC) 17	Miami	80,187
XI	—1977	Oakland (AFC) 32, Minnesota (NFC) 14	Pasadena	103,424
XII	—1978	Dallas (NFC) 27, Denver (AFC) 10	New Orleans	76,400
XIII	—1979	Pittsburgh (AFC) 35, Dallas (NFC) 31	Miami	79,641
XIV	—1980	Pittsburgh (AFC) 31, Los Angeles (NFC) 19	Pasadena	103,985
XV	—1981	Oakland (AFC) 27, Philadelphia (NFC) 10	New Orleans	75,500
XVI	—1982	San Francisco (NFC) 26, Cincinnati (AFC) 21	Detroit	81,270

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LOS ANGELES RAMS

1982 SCHEDULE

Sept. 12—vs. Green Bay (Milw.)
Sept. 19—Detroit
Sept. 26—at Philadelphia
Oct. 3—at St. Louis
Oct. 10—Atlanta
Oct. 17—at San Francisco
Oct. 24—New Orleans
Oct. 31—at San Diego
Nov. 7—at New Orleans
Nov. 14—New York Giants
Nov. 21—at Atlanta
Nov. 28—Kansas City
Dec. 2—San Francisco
Dec. 12—Denver
Dec. 18—at Oakland
Dec. 26—Chicago

1981 RESULTS

(6-10)

20	Houston	27
17	at New Orleans	23
35	Green Bay	23
24	at Chicago	7
27	Cleveland	16
37	at Atlanta	35
17	at Dallas	29
17	at San Francisco	20
20	Detroit	13
13	New Orleans	21
10	at Cincinnati	24
31	San Francisco	33
0	at Pittsburgh	24
7	at New York Giants	10
21	Atlanta	16
7	Washington	30
303		351

PACKER-RAM SERIES

Rams won 35, Packers won 19, 2 tied. Points — Rams 1459, Packers 1117.

STAFF

Head Coach — Ray Malavasi. Assistants — John Hadl, Jack Snow, Jim Ringo, Paul Lanham, Fred Whittingham, Jim Vechiarella, Herb Paterra, Fritz Shurmur, Clyde Evans. Home Field — Anaheim Stadium, Capacity 69,007. Colors — Royal Blue, Gold, White. Address — 2327 W. Lincoln Avenue, Anaheim, CA 92801.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Wendell Tyler 260 for 1074 yds, 4.1 ave. Cullen Bryant 109, 436, 4.0.
PASSING: Pat Haden 267 atts, 138 comp, 1815 yds, 9 TDs. Jeff Rutledge 50, 30, 442, 3.
RECEIVING: Preston Dennard 49 for 821 yds, 16.8 ave. Wendell Tyler 45, 436, 9.7.
SCORING: Wendell Tyler 102 pts on 17 TDs. Frank Corral 87 on 36 PATs, 17 FGs.

THE VETERANS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Birth	College
52	Andrews, George	LB	6-3	221	4	11/28/55	Nebraska
84	Arnold, Walt	TE	6-3	230	3	8/31/58	New Mexico
62	Bain, Bill	G	6-4	285	7	8/9/52	Southern California
	Barber, Mike	TE	6-3	233	6	6/4/53	Louisiana Tech
81	Battle, Ron	TE	6-3	225	2	3/27/59	North Texas State
90	Brooks, Larry	DT	6-3	255	11	6/10/50	VA St.-Petersburg
32	Bryant, Cullen	FB	6-1	235	10	5/20/51	Colorado
54	Carson, Howard	LB	6-2	230	2	2/11/57	Howard Payne
57	Celotto, Mario	LB	6-3	228	4	8/23/56	Southern California
83	Childs, Henry	TE	6-2	226	9	4/16/51	Kansas State
97	Cobb, Bob	DE	6-4	250	2	10/12/57	Arizona
50	Collins, Jim	LB	6-2	230	2	6/11/58	Syracuse
42	Collins, Kirk	CB	5-11	183	2	7/18/58	Baylor
3	Corral, Frank	K-P	6-2	233	5	6/16/55	UCLA
21	Cromwell, Nolan	S	6-1	200	6	1/30/55	Kansas
88	Dennard, Preston	WR	6-1	183	5	11/28/55	New Mexico
71	Doss, Reggie	DE	6-4	263	5	12/7/56	Hampton Institute
55	Ekern, Carl	LB	6-3	222	6	5/27/54	San Jose State
79	Fanning, Mike	DT	6-6	255	8	2/2/53	Notre Dame
77	France, Doug	T	6-5	270	8	4/26/53	Ohio State
44	Guman, Mike	RB	6-2	218	3	4/21/58	Penn State
11	Haden, Pat	QB	5-11	185	7	1/23/53	Southern California
60	Harrah, Dennis	G	6-5	255	8	3/9/53	Miami
51	Harris, Joe	LB	6-1	230	7	12/6/52	Georgia Tech
87	Hill, Drew	WR-KR	5-9	170	4	10/5/56	Georgia Tech
72	Hill, Kent	G	6-5	260	4	3/7/57	Georgia Tech
47	Irvin, LeRoy	CB-PR	5-11	184	3	9/15/57	Kansas
20	Johnson, Johnnie	S	6-1	183	3	10/8/56	Texas
7	Jones, Bert	QB	6-3	218	10	9/7/51	Louisiana State
76	Jones, Cody	DT	6-5	255	8	5/3/51	San Jose State
9	Kemp, Jeff	QB	6-0	201	2	7/11/59	Dartmouth
69	Meisner, Greg	DE	6-3	253	2	4/23/59	Pittsburgh
82	Miller, Willie	WR	5-9	173	7	4/26/48	Colorado State
86	Moore, Jeff	WR	6-1	188	3	3/2/57	Tennessee
95	Murphy, Phil	DT	6-5	300	3	9/26/57	South Carolina State
58	Owens, Mel	LB	6-2	224	2	12/7/58	Michigan
75	Pankey, Irv	T	6-4	267	3	2/15/58	Penn State
22	Penaranda, Jairo	FB	5-11	215	2	6/15/58	UCLA
49	Perry, Rod	CB	5-9	185	8	9/11/53	Colorado
8	Rutledge, Jeff	QB	6-2	187	4	1/22/57	Alabama
78	Slater, Jackie	T	6-4	271	7	5/27/54	Jackson State
56	Smith, Doug	C-G	6-3	253	5	11/25/56	Bowling Green
23	Smith, Lucious	CB	5-10	190	3	1/17/57	Cal-Fullerton
37	Sully, Ivory	S	6-0	201	4	6/20/57	Delaware
33	Thomas, Jewerl	FB	5-10	228	3	9/10/57	San Jose State
27	Thomas, Pat	CB	5-9	190	7	9/1/54	Texas A&M
26	Tyler, Wendell	RB	5-10	198	5	5/20/55	UCLA
80	Waddy, Billy	WR	5-11	190	6	2/19/54	Colorado
85	Youngblood, Jack	DE	6-4	242	12	1/26/50	Florida
53	Youngblood, Jim	LB	6-3	231	10	2/23/50	Tennessee Tech

NEW YORK GIANTS

1982 SCHEDULE

Sept. 12—Atlanta
Sept. 20—Green Bay
Sept. 26—at Pittsburgh
Oct. 3—at Dallas
Oct. 10—St. Louis
Oct. 17—Cincinnati
Oct. 25—at Philadelphia
Oct. 31—Dallas
Nov. 7—at Cleveland
Nov. 14—at Los Angeles
Nov. 21—Washington
Nov. 25—at Detroit
Dec. 5—Houston
Dec. 11—Philadelphia
Dec. 19—at Washington
Dec. 26—at St. Louis

1981 RESULTS

(9-7)

10	Philadelphia	24
17	at Washington	7
20	New Orleans	7
10	at Dallas	18
14	Green Bay	27
34	St. Louis	14
32	at Seattle	0
27	at Atlanta (OT)	24
7	New York Jets	26
24	at Green Bay	26
27	Washington (OT)	30
20	at Philadelphia	10
10	at San Francisco	17
10	Los Angeles	7
20	at St. Louis	10
13	Dallas (OT)	10
295		257

PACKER-GIANT SERIES

Packers won 23, Giants won 17, 2 tied. Points — Packers 707, Giants 615.

STAFF

Head Coach — Ray Perkins. Assistants — Bill Belichick, Pat Hodgson, Bob Lord, Bill Austin, Lamar Leachman, Bill Parcells, Fred Glick, Ron Erhardt, Romeo Crennel. Home Field — Giants Stadium, Capacity 76,500. Colors — Red, Blue, White. Address — Giants Stadium, East Rutherford, NJ 07073.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Rob Carpenter 208 for 822 yds, 4.0 ave. Leon Perry 72, 257, 3.6.
PASSING: Phil Simms 316 atts, 172 comp, 2031 yds, 11 TDs. Scott Brunner 190, 79, 978, 5.
RECEIVING: Johnny Perkins 51 for 858 yds, 16.8 ave. Gary Shirk 42, 445, 10.6.
SCORING: Joe Danelo 103 pts on 31 PATs, 24 FGs. Rob Carpenter, Johnny Perkins 36 each on 6 TDs.

THE VETERANS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Birth	College
67	Ard, Billy	G	6-3	250	2	3/12/59	Wake Forest
60	Benson, Brad	T	6-3	258	5	11/25/55	Penn State
45	Bright, Leon	RB	5-9	192	2	5/19/55	Florida State
12	Brunner, Scott	QB	6-5	200	3	3/24/57	Delaware
64	Burt, Jim	DT	6-1	255	2	6/7/59	Miami
26	Carpenter, Rob	RB	6-1	230	6	4/20/55	Miami (O.)
53	Carson, Harry	LB	6-2	235	7	11/26/53	S. Carolina State
29	Currier, Bill	S	6-0	195	6	1/5/55	South Carolina
18	Danelo, Joe	K	5-9	166	8	9/2/53	Washington State
46	Dennis, Mike	CB	5-10	190	3	6/7/58	Wyoming
37	Flowers, Larry	S	6-1	190	2	4/19/58	Texas Tech
35	Forte, Ike	RB	6-0	210	7	3/8/54	Arkansas
88	Friede, Mike	WR	6-3	205	3	9/22/57	Indiana
83	Gray, Earnest	WR	6-3	195	4	3/2/57	Memphis State
79	Hardison, Dee	DE	6-4	269	5	5/2/56	North Carolina
36	Haynes, Mark	CB	5-11	185	3	11/6/58	Colorado
27	Heater, Larry	RB	5-11	205	3	1/9/58	Arizona
61	Hughes, Ernie	C	6-3	265	4	1/24/55	Notre Dame
57	Hunt, Byron	LB	6-4	230	2	12/17/58	Southern Methodist
21	Jackson, Louis	RB	5-11	195	2	1/27/58	California Poly-SLO
24	Jackson, Terry	CB	5-11	197	5	12/9/55	San Diego State
13	Jennings, Dave	P	6-4	205	9	6/8/52	St. Lawrence
70	Jeter, Gary	DE	6-4	260	6	3/24/55	Southern California
55	Kelley, Brian	LB	6-3	222	10	9/1/51	California-Lutheran
72	King, Gordon	T	6-6	275	5	2/3/56	Stanford
44	Kotar, Doug	RB	5-11	205	9	6/11/51	Kentucky
71	Lapka, Myron	DT	6-4	260	3	5/10/56	Southern California
64	Lloyd, Dan	LB	6-2	225	5	11/19/53	Washington
51	Marion, Frank	LB	6-3	228	6	3/16/51	Florida A&M
75	Martin, George	DE	6-4	245	8	2/16/53	Oregon
59	McGlasson, Ed	C	6-4	248	4	7/11/56	Youngstown State
76	McGriff, Curtis	DE	6-5	265	3	5/17/58	Alabama
52	McLaughlin, Joe	LB	6-1	235	4	7/1/57	Massachusetts
85	Mistler, John	WR	6-2	186	2	10/28/58	Arizona State
81	Mullady, Tom	TE	6-3	232	4	1/20/57	Southwest at Memphis
77	Neill, Bill	DT	6-4	255	2	3/15/59	Pittsburgh
86	Perkins, Johnny	WR	6-2	205	6	4/21/53	Abilene Christian
30	Perry, Leon	RB	5-11	224	3	8/14/57	Mississippi
82	Pittman, Danny	WR	6-2	205	3	4/3/58	Wyoming
28	Reece, Beasley	S	6-1	195	7	3/18/54	North Texas State
87	Shirk, Gary	TE	6-1	220	7	2/23/50	Morehead State
69	Simmons, Roy	G	6-3	264	4	11/8/56	Georgia Tech
11	Simms, Phil	QB	6-3	216	4	11/3/56	Morehead State
65	Sinnott, John	T	6-4	275	3	4/18/58	Brown
80	Tabor, Phil	DE	6-4	255	4	11/30/56	Oklahoma
56	Taylor, Lawrence	LB	6-3	237	2	2/4/59	North Carolina
68	Turner, J.T.	G	6-3	250	6	4/17/53	Duke
10	Van Pelt, Brad	LB	6-5	235	10	4/5/51	Michigan State
73	Weston, Jeff	T	6-5	280	4	4/10/56	Notre Dame
62	Whittington, Mike	LB	6-2	220	3	8/9/58	Notre Dame
	Wyatt, Kervin	LB	6-1	235	4	10/17/57	Maryland
89	Young, Dave	TE	6-6	242	2	2/9/59	Purdue

MIAMI
DOLPHINS

1982 SCHEDULE

Sept. 12—at New York Jets
Sept. 19—Baltimore
Sept. 26—at Green Bay
Oct. 3—at Cincinnati
Oct. 10—Detroit
Oct. 17—New England
Oct. 24—at Baltimore
Oct. 31—at Oakland
Nov. 8—San Diego
Nov. 14—Cleveland
Nov. 21—at Buffalo
Nov. 29—at Tampa Bay
Dec. 5—Minnesota
Dec. 12—at New England
Dec. 18—New York Jets
Dec. 27—Buffalo

PACKER-DOLPHIN SERIES

Dolphins won 3, Packers won 0, Points — Dolphins 85, Packers 19

STAFF

Head Coach — Don Shula. Assistants — John Sandusky, Bill Arnsparger, Wally English, Mike Scarry, Carl Taseff, Tom Keane, Steve Crosby. Home Field — Orange Bowl. Capacity 75,499. Colors — Aqua, Orange. Address — 3550 Biscayne Blvd., Miami, FL 33137.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Tony Nathan 147 for 782 yds, 5.3 ave; Andra Franklin 201, 711, 3.5.
PASSING: David Woodley 366 atts, 191 comp, 2,470 yds, 12 TDs; Don Strock 130, 79, 901, 6.
RECEIVING: Duriel Harris 53 for 911 yds, 17.2 ave; Tony Nathan 50, 462, 9.0.
SCORING: Uwe von Schamann 109 pts on 47 PATs, 24 FGs; Andra Franklin, Tony Nathan 48 pts each on 8 TDs.

1981 RESULTS

(11-4-1)

20	at St. Louis	7
30	Pittsburgh	10
16	at Houston	10
31	at Baltimore	28
28	New York Jets (OT)	28
21	at Buffalo	31
13	Washington	10
27	at Dallas	28
27	Baltimore	10
30	at New England (OT)	27
17	Oakland	33
15	at New York Jets	16
13	Philadelphia	10
24	New England	14
17	at Kansas City	7
16	Buffalo	6
345		275

THE VETERANS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Birth	College
88	Bailey, Elmer	WR	6-0	195	3	12/13/57	Minnesota
70	Barnett, Bill	DE	6-4	260	3	5/10/56	Nebraska
73	Baumhower, Bob	DT	6-5	260	6	8/4/55	Alabama
34	Bennett, Woody	RB	6-2	222	4	3/24/55	Miami
46	Bessillieu, Don	S	6-1	200	4	5/4/56	Georgia Tech
75	Betters, Doug	DE	6-7	260	5	6/11/56	Nevada-Reno
47	Blackwood, Glenn	S	6-0	186	4	2/23/57	Texas
42	Blackwood, Lyle	S	6-1	188	10	5/2/51	Texas Christian
58	Bokamper, Kim	DE	6-6	250	6	9/25/54	San Jose State
59	Brudzinski, Bob	LB	6-4	230	6	1/1/55	Ohio State
81	Cefalo, Jimmy	WR	5-11	188	5	10/5/56	Penn State
	Cunningham, Eric	G	6-3	257	3	3/16/57	Penn State
	Darby, Paul	WR	5-10	192	3	10/22/56	S.W. Texas State
63	Dennard, Mark	C	6-1	252	4	11/2/55	Texas A&M
77	Duhe, A. J.	LB	6-4	248	6	11/27/55	Louisiana State
37	Franklin, Andra	FB	5-10	225	2	8/22/59	Nebraska
79	Giesler, Jon	T	6-4	260	4	12/23/56	Michigan
50	Gordon, Larry	LB	6-4	230	7	7/8/54	Arizona State
74	Green, Cleveland	T	6-3	262	4	9/11/57	Southern
84	Hardy, Bruce	TE	6-4	230	5	6/1/56	Arizona State
82	Harris, Duriel	WR	5-11	176	7	11/27/54	New Mexico State
31	Hill, Ed	RB	6-2	210	4	5/13/57	Memphis State
36	Howell, Steve	RB	6-2	210	4	5/13/57	Baylor
11	Jensen, Jim	QB	6-4	212	2	11/14/58	Boston University
40	Kozlowski, Mike	S	6-0	198	3	2/24/56	Colorado
67	Kuechenberg, Bob	G	6-2	255	13	10/14/47	Notre Dame
68	Laakso, Eric	T	6-4	265	5	11/29/56	Tulane
86	Lee, Ronnie	TE	6-3	236	4	12/24/56	Baylor
33	Matthews, Bo	RB	6-3	222	9	11/15/51	Colorado
28	McNeal, Don	CB	5-11	192	3	5/6/58	Alabama
89	Moore, Nat	WR	5-9	188	9	9/19/51	Florida
22	Nathan, Tony	RB	6-0	206	4	12/14/56	Alabama
64	Newman, Ed	G	6-2	255	10	6/4/51	Duke
3	Orosz, Tom	P	6-1	204	2	9/26/59	Ohio State
78	Poole, Ken	DE	6-3	251	2	10/20/58	Northeast Louisiana
54	Potter, Steve	LB	6-3	235	2	11/6/57	Virginia
43	Ray, Ricky	CB	5-11	180	4	5/30/57	Norfolk State
55	Rhone, Earnie	LB	6-2	224	7	8/20/53	Henderson, Ark.
38	Robiskie, Terry	FB	6-1	210	5	11/12/54	Louisiana State
80	Rose, Joe	TE	6-3	230	3	6/24/57	California
52	Shull, Steve	LB	6-1	220	3	3/27/58	William & Mary
48	Small, Gerald	CB	5-11	192	5	8/10/56	San Jose State
57	Stephenson, Dwight	C	6-2	255	3	11/20/57	Alabama
10	Strock, Don	QB	6-5	220	9	11/27/50	Virginia Tech
45	Taylor, Ed	CB	6-0	175	8	5/13/53	Memphis State
60	Toews, Jeff	G	6-3	255	4	11/4/57	Washington
32	Vigorito, Tom	RB	5-10	197	2	10/23/59	Virginia
5	von Schamann, Uwe	K	6-0	188	4	4/23/56	Oklahoma
41	Walker, Fulton	CB	5-10	193	2	4/30/58	West Virginia
16	Woodley, David	QB	6-2	204	3	10/25/58	Louisiana State

PHILADELPHIA
EAGLES

1982 SCHEDULE

Sept. 12—Washington
Sept. 19—at Cleveland
Sept. 26—Los Angeles
Oct. 3—vs. Green Bay (Milw.)
Oct. 11—at Pittsburgh
Oct. 17—Dallas
Oct. 25—New York Giants
Oct. 31—at St. Louis
Nov. 7—Detroit
Nov. 15—at Atlanta
Nov. 21—Cincinnati
Nov. 28—at Washington
Dec. 5—St. Louis
Dec. 11—at New York Giants
Dec. 19—Houston
Dec. 26—at Dallas

PACKER-EAGLE SERIES

Packers won 18, Eagles won 4, Points — Packers 543, Eagles 317

STAFF

Head Coach — Dick Vermeil. Assistants — Fred Bruney, Marion Campbell, Chuck Clausen, Dick Coury, Ken Iman, George Hill, Lynn Stiles, Jerry Wampfler, Chuck Bednarik, John Booker, Sid Gillman. Home Field — Veterans Stadium. Capacity 71,529. Address — Broad Street and Pattison Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19148.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Wilbert Montgomery 286 for 1402 yds, 4.9 ave; Hubert Oliver 75, 329, 4.4.
PASSING: Ron Jaworski 461 atts, 250 comp, 3095 yds, 21 TDs; Joe Pisarcik 15, 8, 154, 2.
RECEIVING: Harold Carmichael 61 for 1028 yds, 16.9 ave; Wilbert Montgomery 49, 521, 10.6.
SCORING: Tony Franklin 101 pts on 41 PATs, 20 FGs; Wilbert Montgomery 60 on 10 TDs.

1981 RESULTS

(10-6)

24	at New York Giants	10
13	New England	3
20	at Buffalo	14
36	Washington	13
16	Atlanta	13
31	at New Orleans	14
23	at Minnesota	35
20	Tampa Bay	10
14	Dallas	17
52	at St. Louis	10
38	Baltimore	13
10	New York Giants	20
10	at Miami	13
13	at Washington	15
10	at Dallas	21
38	St. Louis	0
368		221

THE VETERANS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Birth	College
38	Atkins, Steve	FB	6-0	219	4	6/22/56	Maryland
63	Baker, Ron	G	6-4	250	5	11/19/54	Oklahoma State
27	Blackmore, Richard	CB	5-10	174	4	8/14/56	Mississippi State
	Brown, Aaron	LB	6-2	235	4	1/15/56	Ohio State
98	Brown, Gregory	DE	6-5	240	2	1/5/57	Kansas State
95	Bunting, John	LB	6-1	220	11	7/15/50	North Carolina
37	Campfield, Billy	RB	6-0	205	5	8/20/56	Kansas
17	Carmichael, Harold	WR	6-8	225	12	9/22/49	Southern
59	Chesley, Al	LB	6-3	240	4	8/23/57	Pittsburgh
71	Clarke, Ken	DT	6-2	255	5	8/28/56	Syracuse
57	Curcio, Mike	LB	6-1	237	2	1/24/57	Temple
46	Edwards, Herm	CB	6-0	190	6	4/27/54	San Diego State
24	Ellis, Ray	CB-S	6-1	192	2	4/27/59	Ohio State
1	Franklin, Tony	K	5-8	182	4	11/18/56	Texas A&M
33	Giammona, Louie	RB-KR	5-9	180	6	3/3/53	Utah State
79	Giddens, Frank	T	6-7	300	2	1/20/59	New Mexico
78	Hairston, Carl	DE	6-3	260	7	12/15/52	Maryland State
35	Harrington, Perry	FB	5-11	210	3	3/13/58	Jackson State
20	Harris, Leroy	FB	5-9	230	4	7/3/54	Arkansas State
89	Henry, Wally	WR-PR	5-8	180	6	10/30/54	UCLA
87	Humphrey, Claude	DE	6-5	258	15	6/29/44	Tennessee State
7	Jaworski, Ron	QB	6-2	196	8	3/23/51	Youngstown State
	Johnson, Charles	DT	6-1	262	4	6/29/57	Maryland
65	Johnson, Charlie	DT	6-3	262	6	1/17/52	Colorado
73	Kenney, Steve	G	6-4	262	3	12/26/55	Clemson
84	Krepfle, Keith	TE	6-3	230	8	2/4/52	Iowa State
55	LeMaster, Frank	LB	6-2	238	9	3/12/52	Kentucky
41	Logan, Randy	S	6-1	195	10	5/1/51	Michigan
99	Mitchell, Leonard	DE	6-7	272	2	10/12/58	Houston
31	Montgomery, Wilbert	RB	5-10	195	6	9/16/54	Abilene Christian
50	Morriss, Guy	C	6-4	255	10	5/13/51	Texas Christian
42	Murray, Calvin	RB	5-11	185	2	10/18/58	Ohio State
34	Oliver, Hubert	FB	5-10	212	2	11/12/57	Arizona
83	Parker, Rodney	WR	6-1	190	3	7/18/53	Tennessee State
62	Perot, Pete	G	6-2	261	4	4/18/57	Northwest Louisiana
52	Phillips, Ray	LB	6-4	230	6	3/18/54	Nebraska
9	Pisarcik, Joe	QB	6-4	220	6	7/2/52	New Mexico State
56	Robinson, Jerry	LB	6-2	218	4	12/18/56	UCLA
4	Runager, Max	P	6-1	189	4	3/24/56	South Carolina
32	Russell, Booker	FB	6-2	235	5	2/28/56	S.W. Texas State
21	Sciarra, John	S	5-11	185	5	3/2/54	UCLA
76	Sisemore, Jerry	T	6-4	265	10	7/16/51	Texas
61	Slater, Mark	C	6-2	257	5	2/1/55	Minnesota
85	Smith, Charles	WR	6-1	185	9	7/26/50	Grambling
81	Smith, Ron	WR	6-0	185	5	11/20/56	San Diego State
88	Spagnola, John	TE	6-4	240	4	8/1/57	Yale
	Steptoe, Jack	WR	6-1	175	3	1/25/56	Utah
42	Wagner, Steve	LB	6-2	208	6	4/18/54	Wisconsin
75	Walters, Stan	T	6-6	275	11	5/27/48	Syracuse
51	Wilkes, Reggie	LB	6-4	230	5	5/27/56	Georgia Tech
22	Wilson, Brenard	S	6-0	175	4	8/15/55	Vanderbilt
43	Young, Roynell	CB	6-1	181	3	12/1/57	Alcorn State

CHICAGO
BEARS

PACKER-BEAR SERIES

Bears won 66, Packers won 53, 6 tied; Points — Bears 2081, Packers 1831.

STAFF

Head Coach — Mike Ditka; Assistants — Jim Dooley, Dale Haupt, Ed Hughes, Steve Kazor, Hank Kuhlmann, Jim LaRue, Ted Plumb, Buddy Ryan, Dick Stanfel; Home Field — Soldier Field, Capacity 65,077; Colors — Burnt Orange, Navy Blue, White; Address — 55 E. Jackson 1200, Chicago, IL 60604

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Walter Payton 339 for 1222 yds, 3.6 ave; Matt Suhey 150, 521, 3.5.
PASSING: Vince Evans 436 atts, 195 comp, 2354 yds, 11 TDs; Mike Phipps 17, 11, 171, 2.
RECEIVING: Walter Payton 41 for 379 yds, 9.2 ave; Ken Margerum 39, 584, 15.0.
SCORING: John Roveto 49 on 19 PATs, 10 FGs; Walter Payton 48 on 8 TDs.

1982 SCHEDULE

Sept. 12—at Detroit
Sept. 19—New Orleans
Sept. 26—at San Francisco
Oct. 3—Minnesota
Oct. 10—Green Bay
Oct. 17—at St. Louis
Oct. 24—Tampa Bay
Oct. 31—at Green Bay
Nov. 7—Atlanta
Nov. 14—at Tampa Bay
Nov. 21—Detroit
Nov. 28—at Minnesota
Dec. 5—New England
Dec. 12—at Seattle
Dec. 19—St. Louis
Dec. 26—at Los Angeles

1981 RESULTS

(6-10)

9	Green Bay	16
17	at San Francisco	28
28	Tampa Bay	17
7	Los Angeles	24
21	at Minnesota	24
7	Washington	24
17	at Detroit	48
20	San Diego (OT)	17
10	at Tampa Bay	20
16	at Kansas City (OT)	13
17	at Green Bay	21
7	Detroit	23
9	at Dallas	10
10	Minnesota	9
23	at Oakland	6
35	Denver	24
253		324

THE VETERANS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Birth	College
64	Albrecht, Ted	T-G	6-4	250	6	10/8/54	California
88	Anderson, Marcus	WR	5-11	168	2	6/12/59	Tulane
7	Avellini, Bob	QB	6-2	210	8	8/28/53	Maryland
84	Baschnagel, Brian	WR-KR	6-0	184	7	1/8/54	Ohio State
25	Bell, Todd	S	6-1	207	2	11/28/58	Ohio State
54	Cabral, Brian	LB	6-1	224	4	6/23/56	Colorado
59	Campbell, Gary	LB	6-1	220	6	3/4/52	Colorado
87	Cobb, Mike	TE	6-5	243	5	12/10/55	Michigan State
81	Earl, Robin	TE-P	6-5	240	6	3/18/55	Washington
8	Evans, Vince	QB	6-2	212	6	6/14/55	Southern California
45	Fencik, Gary	S	6-1	197	7	6/11/54	Yale
85	Fisher, Bob	TE	6-3	240	3	3/17/58	Southern Methodist
24	Fisher, Jeff	CB-KR	5-11	188	2	2/25/58	Southern California
21	Frazier, Leslie	CB-S	6-0	189	2	4/3/59	Alcorn State
82	Haines, Kris	WR-KR	5-11	180	3	7/23/57	Notre Dame
99	Hampton, Dan	DE-DT	6-5	255	4	9/19/57	Arkansas
35	Harper, Roland	RB	5-11	210	7	2/28/53	Louisiana Tech
90	Harris, Al	DE	6-5	240	4	12/21/56	Arizona State
73	Hartenstine, Mike	DE	6-3	243	8	7/27/53	Penn State
20	Henderson, Reuben	CB	6-1	200	2	10/3/58	San Diego State
51	Herron, Bruce	LB	6-2	220	5	4/14/54	New Mexico
63	Hilgenberg, Jay	C	6-3	250	2	3/21/59	Iowa
65	Jackson, Noah	G	6-2	265	8	4/14/51	Tampa
62	Jiggetts, Dan	T	6-5	270	7	3/10/54	Harvard
57	Kunz, Lee	LB	6-2	225	4	4/21/57	Nebraska
70	Lick, Dennis	T	6-3	265	7	4/26/54	Wisconsin
82	Margerum, Ken	WR	5-11	170	2	10/5/58	Stanford
37	McClendon, Willie	RB	6-1	205	4	9/13/57	Georgia
43	Moorehead, Emery	WR-KR	6-2	210	6	3/22/54	Colorado
58	Muckensturm, Jerry	LB	6-4	220	6	10/13/53	Arkansas State
52	Neal, Dan	C	6-4	255	10	8/30/49	Kentucky
68	Osborne, Jim	DT	6-3	245	11	9/7/49	Southern University
86	Parsons, Bob	P	6-5	225	11	6/29/50	Penn State
34	Payton, Walter	RB	5-10	202	8	7/25/54	Jackson State
15	Phipps, Mike	QB	6-3	209	13	11/19/47	Purdue
46	Plank, Doug	S	5-11	202	8	3/4/53	Ohio State
9	Roveto, John	K	6-0	180	2	2/20/58	Southwest Louisiana
44	Schmidt, Terry	CB	6-0	177	9	5/28/52	Ball State
89	Scott, James	WR	6-1	190	5	3/28/52	Henderson College
72	Shearer, Brad	DT	6-3	247	4	8/10/55	Texas
	Shoate, Rod	LB	6-1	215	7	4/26/53	Oklahoma
50	Singletary, Mike	LB	6-0	230	2	10/9/58	Baylor
30	Skibinski, John	RB	6-0	222	4	4/27/55	Purdue
69	Sorey, Revie	G	6-2	260	8	9/10/53	Illinois
26	Suhey, Matt	RB-KR	5-11	217	3	7/7/58	Penn State
16	Thomas, Bob	K	5-10	175	7	8/7/52	Notre Dame
78	Van Horne, Keith	T	6-7	265	2	11/6/57	Southern California
23	Walterscheid, Lenny	S-KR	5-11	190	6	9/13/54	South Utah State
80	Watts, Rickey	WR-KR	6-1	203	4	5/16/57	Tulsa
83	Williams, Brooks	TE	6-4	226	5	12/7/54	North Carolina
22	Williams, David	RB-KR	6-2	207	6	3/10/54	Colorado
55	Wilson, Otis	LB	6-2	222	3	9/15/57	Louisville
79	Zanders, Emanuel	G	6-1	248	9	7/31/51	Jackson State

TAMPA BAY
BUCCANEERS

PACKER-BUCCANEER SERIES

Buccaneers won 5, Packers won 3, 1 tied; Points — Buccaneers 148, Packers 106.

STAFF

Head Coach — John McKay; Assistants — Bill Johnson, Howard Tippett, Jim Gruden, Abe Gibron, Wayne Fontes, Bill Nelsen, Frank Emanuel, Boyd Dowler; Home Field — Tampa Stadium, Capacity 72,128; Colors — Florida Orange, White, Red; Address — One Buccaneer Place, Tampa, FL 33607

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Jerry Eckwood 172 for 651 yds, 3.8 ave; James Owens 91, 406, 4.5.
PASSING: Doug Williams 471 atts, 238 comp, 3563 yds, 19 TDs; Chuck Fusina 1, 1, 2, 1.
RECEIVING: Kevin House 56 for 1176 yds, 21.0 ave; James Wilder 48, 507, 10.6.
SCORING: Bill Capece 75 pts on 30 PATs, 15 FGs; Kevin House 54 on 9 TDs.

1982 SCHEDULE

Sept. 12—at Minnesota
Sept. 19—Washington
Sept. 26—at Detroit
Oct. 4—San Francisco
Oct. 10—Minnesota
Oct. 17—at Green Bay
Oct. 24—at Chicago
Oct. 31—at Baltimore
Nov. 7—Green Bay
Nov. 14—Chicago
Nov. 21—at Dallas
Nov. 29—Miami
Dec. 5—at New Orleans
Dec. 12—at New York Jets
Dec. 19—Buffalo
Dec. 26—Detroit

1981 RESULTS

(9-7)

21	Minnesota	13
10	at Kansas City	19
17	at Chicago	28
20	St. Louis	10
28	Detroit	10
21	at Green Bay	10
16	at Oakland	18
10	at Philadelphia	20
20	Chicago	10
10	at Minnesota	25
7	Denver	24
37	Green Bay	3
31	at New Orleans	14
24	Atlanta	23
23	San Diego	24
20	at Detroit	17
315		268

THE VETERANS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Birth	College
69	Austin, Darrell	G-T	6-4	255	7	11/5/51	South Carolina
83	Bell, Theo	WR	5-11	180	6	12/21/53	Arizona
52	Brantley, Scott	LB	6-1	230	3	2/24/58	Florida
34	Brown, Cedric	S	6-2	205	6	5/6/54	Kent State
79	Campbell, Joe	DE	6-6	250	6	5/8/55	Maryland
3	Capece, Bill	K	5-7	170	2	4/1/59	Florida State
87	Carter, Gerald	WR	6-1	185	3	6/19/57	Texas A&M
44	Cesare, Billy	S	5-11	190	4	6/2/55	Miami
20	Colzie, Neal	S	6-2	200	8	2/28/53	Ohio State
33	Cotney, Mark	S	6-0	205	7	6/25/52	Cameron State
71	Crowder, Randy	DT	6-3	250	6	7/30/52	Penn State
27	Davis, Tony	RB	5-11	210	7	1/21/53	Nebraska
43	Eckwood, Jerry	RB	6-0	200	4	12/26/54	Arkansas
10	Ford, Mike	QB	6-3	220	2	1/30/59	Southern Methodist
14	Fusina, Chuck	QB	6-1	195	4	5/31/57	Penn State
88	Giles, Jimmie	TE	6-3	245	6	11/8/54	Alcorn State
53	Green, Hugh	LB	6-2	225	2	7/27/59	Pittsburgh
73	Hannah, Charley	T	6-6	265	6	7/26/55	Alabama
59	Hawkins, Andy	LB	6-2	230	3	3/31/58	Texas A&I
21	Holt, John	CB	5-11	180	2	5/14/59	West Texas State
89	House, Kevin	WR	6-1	175	3	12/20/57	Southern Illinois
70	Hutchinson, Scott	DE	6-3	245	5	5/27/56	Florida
56	Johnson, Cecil	LB	6-2	235	6	8/19/55	Pittsburgh
84	Jones, Gordon	WR	6-0	190	4	7/25/57	Pittsburgh
77	Kollar, Bill	DE	6-4	250	9	11/12/52	Montana State
62	Leonard, Jim	C-G	6-3	250	3	10/19/57	Santa Clara
76	Logan, David	DT	6-2	250	4	10/25/56	Pittsburgh
55	Melontree, Andrew	LB	6-3	225	2	12/1/57	Baylor
45	Mitchell, Aaron	S	6-1	195	4	12/15/56	Nevada-Las Vegas
51	Nafziger, Dana	LB	6-1	225	5	10/26/53	California Poly-SLO
86	Obradovich, Jim	TE	6-2	230	8	4/2/53	Southern California
26	Owens, James	RB	5-11	190	4	7/5/55	UCLA
75	Reavis, Dave	T	6-5	265	8	6/19/50	Arkansas
61	Roberts, Greg	G	6-3	260	4	11/19/56	Oklahoma
80	Samuels, Tony	TE	6-4	235	5	12/30/54	Bethune-Cookman
74	Sanders, Gene	T	6-3	270	4	11/10/56	Texas A&M
53	Selmon, Lee Roy	DE	6-3	250	7	10/20/54	Oklahoma
64	Short, Laval	DT	6-3	250	3	9/29/58	Colorado
72	Snell, Ray	G	6-3	260	3	2/24/58	Wisconsin
65	Stalls, Dave	DE	6-4	250	6	9/19/55	Northern Colorado
9	Swider, Larry	P	6-2	195	4	2/1/55	Pittsburgh
41	Thomas, Norris	CB	5-11	185	6	5/1/54	Southern Mississippi
40	Washington, Mike	CB	6-2	200	7	7/1/53	Alabama
90	White, Brad	DT	6-2	250	2	10/18/58	Tennessee
32	Wilder, James	RB	6-2	220	2	5/12/58	Missouri
12	Williams, Doug	QB	6-4	215	5	8/9/55	Grambling
50	Wilson, Steve	C	6-3	265	7	5/19/54	Georgia
54	Wood, Richard	LB	6-2	230	8	5/31/53	Southern California
68	Yarno, George	G	6-2	255	4	8/12/57	Washington State

MINNESOTA VIKINGS

1982 SCHEDULE

Sept. 12—Tampa Bay
Sept. 16—at Buffalo
Sept. 26—Dallas
Oct. 3—at Chicago
Oct. 10—at Tampa Bay
Oct. 17—New Orleans
Oct. 24—Green Bay
Nov. 1—Detroit
Nov. 7—at San Francisco
Nov. 14—at Washington
Nov. 21—vs. Green Bay (Milw.)
Nov. 28—Chicago
Dec. 5—at Miami
Dec. 12—Baltimore
Dec. 19—at Detroit
Dec. 26—New York Jets

1981 RESULTS

(7-9)

13	at Tampa Bay	21
10	Oakland	36
26	Detroit	24
30	at Green Bay	13
24	Chicago	21
33	at San Diego	31
35	Philadelphia	23
17	at St. Louis	30
17	at Denver	19
25	Tampa Bay	10
20	New Orleans	10
30	at Atlanta	31
23	Green Bay	35
9	at Chicago	10
7	at Detroit	45
6	Kansas City	10
325		369

PACKER-VIKING SERIES

Vikings won 23, Packers won 18, 1 tied. Points — Packers 763, Vikings 707.

STAFF

Head Coach — Bud Grant. Assistants — Jerry Burns, John Michels, Bus Mertes, Les Steckel, Bob Hollway, Tom Cecchini, Floyd Reese, Jed Hughes. Home Field — Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome. Capacity 62,212. Colors — Purple, Gold, White. Address — 9520 Viking Drive, Eden Prairie, MN 55344.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Ted Brown 274 for 1063 yds, 3.9 ave; Tony Galbreath 42, 198, 4.7.
PASSING: Tommy Kramer 593 atts, 322 comp, 3912 yds, 26 TDs; Steve Dils 102, 54, 607, 1.
RECEIVING: Ted Brown 83 for 694 yds, 8.4 ave; Joe Senser 79, 1004, 12.7.
SCORING: Rick Danmeier 97 pts on 34 PATs, 21 FGs; Ted Brown, Joe Senser 48 each on 6 TDs.

THE VETERANS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Birth	College
59	Blair, Matt	LB	6-5	229	9	9/20/51	Iowa State
62	Boyd, Brent	G	6-3	260	3	3/23/57	UCLA
23	Brown, Ted	RB	5-10	198	4	2/2/57	North Carolina State
82	Bruer, Bob	TE	6-5	235	4	5/2/53	Mankato State
8	Coleman, Greg	P	6-0	178	6	9/9/54	Florida A&M
7	Danmeier, Rick	K	6-0	183	5	4/8/52	Sioux Falls
12	Dils, Steve	QB	6-1	190	4	12/8/55	Stanford
65	Elshire, Neil	DE	6-6	250	2	3/8/58	Oregon
32	Galbreath, Tony	RB	6-0	230	7	1/29/54	Missouri
61	Hamilton, Wes	G	6-3	255	7	4/24/53	Tulsa
45	Hannon, Tom	S	5-11	193	6	3/5/55	Michigan State
36	Harrell, Sam	RB	6-2	213	2	2/7/57	East Carolina
75	Holloway, Randy	DE	6-5	245	5	8/26/55	Pittsburgh
51	Hough, Jim	C	6-2	267	5	8/4/56	Utah State
56	Huffman, Dave	C	6-6	255	4	4/4/57	Notre Dame
76	Irwin, Tim	T	6-6	275	2	12/13/56	Tennessee
52	Johnson, Dennis	LB	6-3	230	3	6/19/58	Southern California
53	Johnson, Henry	LB	6-2	235	3	3/20/58	Georgia Tech
25	Knoff, Kurt	S	6-2	188	7	4/6/54	Kansas
9	Kramer, Tommy	QB	6-1	199	6	3/7/55	Rice
58	Langer, Jim	C	6-2	253	13	5/16/48	South Dakota State
80	LeCount, Terry	WR	5-10	172	5	7/9/56	Florida
87	Lewis, Leo	WR	5-8	170	2	8/17/56	Missouri
79	Martin, Doug	DE	6-3	258	3	5/22/57	Washington
88	McDole, Mardye	WR	5-11	195	2	5/1/59	Mississippi State
54	McNeill, Fred	LB	6-2	229	9	5/6/52	UCLA
77	Mullaney, Mark	DE	6-6	242	8	4/30/53	Colorado State
49	Nord, Keith	S	6-0	197	4	3/13/57	St. Cloud State
40	Paschal, Doug	RB	6-2	219	2	3/5/58	North Carolina
36	Payton, Eddie	KR	5-6	179	6	8/3/51	Jackson State
28	Rashad, Ahmad	WR	6-2	200	10	11/19/49	Oregon
22	Redwine, Jarvis	RB	5-10	198	2	5/16/57	Nebraska
78	Riley, Steve	T	6-6	253	9	11/23/52	Southern California
57	Sendlein, Robin	LB	6-3	224	2	12/1/58	Texas
81	Senser, Joe	TE	6-4	238	3	8/18/56	West Chester State
50	Siemon, Jeff	LB	6-3	237	11	6/2/50	Stanford
55	Studwell, Scott	LB	6-2	224	6	8/27/54	Illinois
29	Swain, John	CB	6-1	195	2	8/4/59	Miami
67	Swilley, Dennis	C	6-3	241	6	6/28/55	Texas A&M
37	Teal, Willie	CB	5-10	195	3	12/20/57	Louisiana State
27	Turner, John	CB	6-0	199	5	9/22/56	Miami
72	White, James	DT	6-3	263	7	10/26/53	Oklahoma State
85	White, Sammy	WR	5-11	189	7	3/16/54	Grambling
44	Williams, Walt	CB	6-1	185	6	7/10/54	New Mexico State
11	Wilson, Wade	QB	6-3	212	2	2/1/59	East Texas State
91	Yakavonis, Ray	DE	6-4	243	2	1/20/57	E. Stroudsburg State
73	Yary, Ron	T	6-6	255	15	8/16/46	Southern California
34	Young, Rickey	RB	6-2	195	8	12/12/53	Jackson State

DETROIT LIONS

1982 SCHEDULE

Sept. 12—Chicago
Sept. 19—at Los Angeles
Sept. 26—Tampa Bay
Oct. 3—Baltimore
Oct. 10—at Miami
Oct. 17—Atlanta
Oct. 24—at Buffalo
Nov. 1—at Minnesota
Nov. 7—at Philadelphia
Nov. 14—Green Bay
Nov. 21—at Chicago
Nov. 25—New York Giants
Dec. 6—New York Jets
Dec. 12—at Green Bay
Dec. 19—Minnesota
Dec. 26—at Tampa Bay

1981 RESULTS

(8-8)

24	San Francisco	17
23	at San Diego	28
24	at Minnesota	26
16	Oakland	0
10	at Tampa Bay	28
21	at Denver	27
48	Chicago	17
31	Green Bay	27
13	at Los Angeles	20
31	at Washington	33
27	Dallas	24
23	at Chicago	7
27	Kansas City	10
17	at Green Bay	31
45	Minnesota	7
17	Tampa Bay	20
397		322

PACKER-LION SERIES

Packers won 65, Lions won 42, 7 tied. Points — Packers 1922, Lions 1708.

STAFF

Head Coach — Monte Clark. Assistants — Maxie Baughan, John Brunner, Don Doll, Fred Hoaglin, Joe Madden, Mel Phillips, Larry Seiple, Ed Khayat, Ted Marchibroda. Home Field — Pontiac Silverdome. Capacity 80,638. Colors — Honolulu Blue, Silver. Address — 1200 Featherstone Road, Pontiac, MI 48057.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Billy Sims 296 for 1437 yds, 4.9 ave; Dexter Bussey 105, 446, 4.2.
PASSING: Eric Hipple 279 atts, 140 comp, 2358 yds, 14 TDs; Gary Danielson 96, 56, 784, 3.
RECEIVING: Freddie Scott 53 for 1022 yds, 19.3 ave; David Hill 38, 462, 12.0.
SCORING: Ed Murray 121 pts on 46 PATs, 25 FGs; Billy Sims 90 on 15 TDs.

THE VETERANS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Birth	College
40	Allen, Jimmy	S	6-2	194	9	3/6/52	UCLA
60	Baker, Al	DE	6-6	250	5	12/9/56	Colorado State
76	Baldischwiler, Karl	T	6-5	265	5	1/19/56	Oklahoma
73	Bolinger, Russ	G	6-5	255	6	9/10/54	Long Beach State
24	Bussey, Dexter	FB	6-1	210	9	3/11/52	Texas-Arlington
31	Callicutt, Ken	RB	6-0	190	5	8/20/55	Clemson
53	Cobb, Garry	LB	6-2	220	4	3/16/57	Southern California
77	Culp, Curley	DT	6-1	265	14	10/10/46	Arizona State
16	Danielson, Gary	QB	6-2	195	6	9/10/51	Purdue
72	Dieterich, Chris	T	6-3	269	3	7/27/58	North Carolina State
70	Dorney, Keith	T	6-5	265	4	12/3/57	Penn State
74	Ehrmann, Joe	DT	6-3	250	10	3/29/49	Syracuse
61	Elias, Homer	G	6-3	255	5	5/1/55	Tennessee State
78	English, Doug	DT	6-5	255	6	8/25/53	Texas
57	Fantetti, Ken	LB	6-2	230	4	4/7/57	Wyoming
65	Fowler, Amos	C	6-3	250	5	2/11/56	Southern Mississippi
71	Furness, Steve	DT	6-4	248	11	12/5/50	Rhode Island
79	Gay, William	DT-DE	6-3	250	5	5/28/55	Southern California
66	Ginn, Tommie	G	6-3	255	3	1/25/58	Arkansas
26	Gray, Hector	CB	6-1	197	2	1/2/57	Florida State
62	Green, Curtis	DE-DT	6-3	256	2	6/3/57	Alabama State
35	Hall, Alvin	CB	5-10	193	2	8/12/58	Miami (O)
51	Harrell, James	LB	6-2	215	4	7/19/57	Florida
81	Hill, David	TE	6-2	230	7	1/1/54	Texas A&I
17	Hipple, Eric	QB	6-1	196	3	9/16/57	Utah State
28	Hunter, James	CB	6-2	195	7	3/8/54	Grambling
32	Kane, Rick	RB	6-0	200	6	11/12/54	San Jose State
25	King, Horace	FB	5-10	210	8	3/5/53	Georgia
19	Komlo, Jeff	QB	6-2	200	4	7/30/56	Delaware
64	Lee, Larry	G-C	6-2	274	2	9/10/59	UCLA
83	Martin, Robbie	WR-KR	5-8	179	2	12/3/58	Cal Poly-SLO
3	Murray, Ed	K	5-9	164	3	8/29/56	Tulane
86	Nichols, Mark	WR	6-2	213	2	10/29/59	San Jose State
80	Norris, Ulysses	TE	6-4	230	4	1/15/57	Georgia
23	Oldham, Ray	S	5-11	192	10	2/23/51	Middle Tennessee
89	Porter, Tracy	WR	6-1	196	2	6/1/59	Louisiana State
75	Pureifory, Dave	DE	6-1	255	11	7/12/49	Eastern Michigan
87	Scott, Fred	WR	6-2	175	9	8/5/52	Amherst
20	Sims, Billy	RB	6-0	212	3	9/18/55	Oklahoma
1	Skladany, Tom	P	6-0	195	4	6/29/55	Ohio State
44	Smith, Wayne	CB	6-0	170	3	5/9/57	Purdue
50	Tautolo, Terry	LB	6-2	235	7	8/30/54	UCLA
84	Thompson, Jesse	WR	6-1	185	3	3/12/56	California
39	Thompson, Leonard	WR	5-11	190	8	7/28/52	Oklahoma State
38	Thompson, Vince	FB	6-0	230	2	2/21/57	Villanova
54	Towle, Steve	LB	6-2	233	7	10/23/53	Kansas
55	Turnure, Tom	C	6-3	243	3	7/9/57	Washington
52	White, Stan	LB	6-1	223	11	10/24/49	Ohio State
30	Williams, Ray	KR	5-9	173	2	9/22/58	Washington State

NEW YORK JETS

1982 SCHEDULE

Sept. 12—Miami
Sept. 19—at New England
Sept. 26—at Baltimore
Oct. 3—Houston
Oct. 10—Denver
Oct. 18—Buffalo
Oct. 24—at Kansas City
Oct. 31—New England
Nov. 7—at Buffalo
Nov. 14—at Pittsburgh
Nov. 21—Baltimore
Nov. 28—Green Bay
Dec. 6—at Detroit
Dec. 12—Tampa Bay
Dec. 18—at Miami
Dec. 26—at Minnesota

PACKER-JET SERIES

Packers won 2, Jets won 1, Points — Jets 62, Packers 48.

STAFF

Head Coach — Walt Michaels; Assistants — Bill Baird, Ralph Baker, Bob Fry, Joe Gardi, Bob Ledbetter, Pete McCulley, Larry Pasquale, Dan Sekanovich, Joe Walton. Home Field — Shea Stadium, Capacity 60,000; Colors — Kelly Green, White; Address — 598 Madison Avenue, New York, NY 10022.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Freeman McNeil 137 for 623 yds, 4.5 ave; Bruce Harper 81 193 4.9.
PASSING: Richard Todd 497 atts, 279 comp, 3231 yds, 25 TDs; Pat Ryan 10, 4, 48, 1.
RECEIVING: Bruce Harper 52 for 459 yds, 8.8 ave; Wesley Walker 47 770 16.4.
SCORING: Pat Leahy 113 pts on 38 PATs, 25 FGs; Wesley Walker 54 on 9 TDs.

1981 RESULTS

(10-5-1)

0	at Buffalo	31
30	Cincinnati	31
10	at Pittsburgh	38
33	Houston	17
28	at Miami (OT)	28
28	New England	24
33	Buffalo	14
3	Seattle	19
26	at New York Giants	7
41	at Baltimore	14
17	at New England	6
16	Miami	15
25	Baltimore	0
23	at Seattle	27
14	at Cleveland	13
28	Green Bay	3
355		287

THE VETERANS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Birth	College
60	Alexander, Dan	G	6-4	260	6	6/17/55	Louisiana State
35	Augustyniak, Mike	RB	6-0	220	2	7/17/56	Purdue
83	Barkum, Jerome	TE	6-4	227	11	7/18/50	Jackson State
64	Bingham, Guy	C-G-T	6-3	255	3	2/25/58	Montana
54	Blinka, Stan	LB	6-2	234	4	4/29/57	Sam Houston State
51	Buttle, Greg	LB	6-3	232	7	6/20/54	Penn State
55	Crosby, Ron	LB	6-3	227	5	3/2/55	Penn State
25	Dierking, Scott	RB	5-10	220	6	5/24/55	Purdue
26	Dykes, Donald	CB	5-11	188	4	8/24/55	Southeast Louisiana
65	Fields, Joe	C	6-2	253	8	11/14/53	Widener
81	Gaffney, Derrick	WR	6-1	182	5	5/24/55	Florida
99	Gastineau, Mark	DE	6-5	276	4	11/20/56	East Central Okla.
42	Harper, Bruce	RB-KR	5-8	177	6	6/20/55	Kutztown State
47	Holmes, Jerry	CB-S	6-2	175	3	12/22/57	West Virginia
40	Jackson, Bobby	CB	5-10	180	5	12/23/56	Florida State
27	Johnson, Jesse	S-CB	6-3	188	3	8/23/57	Colorado
89	Jones, Bobby	WR	5-11	185	5	7/12/55	No College
80	Jones, Johnny (Lam)	WR	5-11	180	3	4/4/58	Texas
73	Klecko, Joe	DE	6-3	272	6	10/15/53	Temple
5	Leahy, Pat	K	6-0	189	9	3/19/51	St. Louis
20	Lewis, Kenny	RB	6-0	196	3	10/2/57	Virginia Tech
33	Long, Kevin	RB	6-1	218	6	1/20/55	South Carolina
29	Lynn, Johnny	CB	6-0	195	3	12/19/56	UCLA
93	Lyons, Marty	DT	6-5	269	4	1/15/57	Alabama
53	McKibben, Mike	LB	6-3	224	3	9/3/56	Kent State
24	McNeil, Freeman	RB	5-11	225	2	4/22/59	UCLA
56	Mehl, Lance	LB	6-3	235	3	2/14/58	Penn State
77	Neil, Kenny	DE-DT	6-4	244	2	1/8/59	Iowa State
44	Newton, Tom	RB	6-0	220	6	3/8/54	California
79	Powell, Marvin	T	6-5	271	6	8/30/55	Southern California
15	Ramsey, Chuck	P	6-2	189	6	2/24/52	Wake Forest
66	Rasmussen, Randy	G	6-2	260	16	5/10/45	Kearney State
28	Ray, Darrol	S	6-1	206	3	6/25/58	Oklahoma
61	Roman, John	T	6-4	270	7	8/31/52	Idaho State
76	Rudolph, Ben	DT-DE	6-5	271	2	8/29/57	Long Beach State
10	Ryan, Pat	QB	6-3	205	5	9/16/55	Tennessee
74	Salaam, Abdul	DT	6-3	269	7	2/12/53	Kent State
48	Schroy, Ken	S	6-2	198	6	9/22/52	Maryland
82	Shuler, Mickey	TE	6-3	236	5	8/21/56	Penn State
87	Sohn, Kurt	WR-KR	5-11	176	2	6/26/57	Fordham
45	Springs, Kirk	S-CB	6-0	192	2	8/10/58	Miami, Ohio
86	Stephens, Steve	TE	6-3	227	2	3/4/57	Oklahoma State
14	Todd, Richard	QB	6-2	206	7	11/19/53	Alabama
70	Waldemore, Stan	G-C-T	6-4	269	5	2/20/55	Nebraska
85	Walker, Wesley	WR	6-0	179	6	5/26/55	California
72	Ward, Chris	T	6-3	267	5	12/16/55	Ohio State
52	Washington, Al	LB	6-3	235	2	9/25/58	Ohio State
58	Wetzel, Marty	LB	6-3	235	2	1/29/58	Tulane
57	Woodring, John	LB	6-2	230	2	4/4/59	Brown

BUFFALO BILLS

1982 SCHEDULE

Sept. 12—Kansas City
Sept. 16—Minnesota
Sept. 26—at Houston
Oct. 3—New England
Oct. 10—at Baltimore
Oct. 18—at New York Jets
Oct. 24—Detroit
Oct. 31—at Denver
Nov. 7—New York Jets
Nov. 14—at New England
Nov. 21—Miami
Nov. 28—Baltimore
Dec. 5—vs. Green Bay (Milw.)
Dec. 12—Pittsburgh
Dec. 19—at Tampa Bay
Dec. 27—at Miami

PACKER-BILL SERIES

Bills won 2, Packers won 0, Points — Bills 46, Packers 19.

STAFF

Head Coach — Chuck Knox; Assistants — Tom Catlin, Jack Donaldson, George Dyer, Miller McCalmon, Steve Moore, Ray Prochaska, Kay Stephenson, Ralph Hawkins, Chick Harris. Home Field — Rich Stadium, Capacity 80,020; Colors — Red, Royal Blue, White; Address — One Bills Drive, Orchard Park, NY 14127.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Joe Cribbs 257 for 1097 yds, 4.3 ave; Roosevelt Leaks 91 357 3.9.
PASSING: Joe Ferguson 498 atts, 252 comp, 3652 yds, 24 TDs; Cliff Stoudt 3, 1, 17, 0.
RECEIVING: Frank Lewis 70 for 1244 yds, 17.8 ave; Jerry Butler 55, 842, 15.3.
SCORING: Nick Mike-Mayer 79 for 37 PATs, 14 FGs; Joe Cribbs 60 on 10 TDs.

1981 RESULTS

(10-6)

31	New York Jets	0
35	at Baltimore	3
14	Philadelphia	20
24	at Cincinnati (OT)	27
23	Baltimore	17
31	Miami	21
14	at New York Jets	33
9	Denver	7
22	Cleveland	13
14	at Dallas	27
0	at St. Louis	24
20	New England	17
21	Washington	14
28	at San Diego	27
19	at New England	10
6	at Miami	16
311		276

THE VETERANS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Birth	College
87	Alvers, Steve	TE	6-4	240	2	4/4/57	Miami
84	Barnett, Buster	TE	6-5	225	2	11/24/58	Jackson State
28	Bess, Rufus	CB	5-9	180	4	9/13/56	S. Carolina State
73	Borchardt, Jon	T	6-5	255	4	8/13/57	Montana State
86	Brammer, Mark	TE	6-3	235	3	5/3/58	Michigan State
47	Brown, Curtis	RB	5-10	203	6	12/7/54	Missouri
80	Butler, Jerry	WR	6-0	178	4	10/12/57	Clemson
7	Cater, Greg	P	6-0	191	3	4/17/57	Tenn.-Chattanooga
29	Clark, Mario	CB	6-2	195	7	3/29/54	Oregon
20	Cribbs, Joe	RB	5-11	190	3	1/5/58	Auburn
70	Delvin, Joe	T	6-5	250	7	2/23/54	Iowa
69	Dobler, Conrad	G	6-3	255	11	10/1/50	Wyoming
12	Ferguson, Joe	QB	6-1	195	10	4/23/50	Arkansas
85	Franklin, Byron	WR	6-1	179	2	9/4/58	Auburn
22	Freeman, Steve	S	5-11	185	8	5/8/53	Mississippi State
53	Grant, Will	C	6-4	248	5	3/7/54	Kentucky
55	Haslett, Jim	LB	6-3	232	4	12/9/55	Indiana, Pa.
25	Hooks, Roland	RB	6-0	195	7	1/2/53	N. Carolina State
50	Humiston, Mike	LB	6-3	238	2	1/8/59	Weber State
97	Irvin, Darrell	DE	6-4	255	3	1/21/58	Oklahoma
81	Jessie, Ron	WR	6-0	181	12	2/4/48	Kansas
91	Johnson, Ken	DE	6-5	253	4	3/25/55	Knoxville
72	Jones, Ken	T	6-5	250	7	12/1/52	Arkansas State
71	Kadish, Mike	NT	6-5	250	10	5/27/50	Notre Dame
52	Keating, Chris	LB	6-2	223	4	10/12/57	Maine
42	Kush, Rod	S	6-0	188	3	12/29/56	Nebraska-Omaha
48	Leaks, Roosevelt	RB	5-10	225	8	1/31/53	Texas
82	Lewis, Frank	WR	6-1	196	12	7/7/47	Grambling
61	Lynch, Tom	G	6-5	250	6	5/24/55	Boston College
30	McCutcheon, Lawrence	RB	6-1	205	11	6/2/50	Colorado State
67	McKenzie, Reggie	G	6-5	242	11	7/27/50	Michigan
5	Mike-Mayer, Nick	K	5-9	185	10	3/1/50	Temple
59	Nelson, Shane	LB	6-1	225	6	5/25/55	Baylor
38	Nixon, Jeff	S	6-3	190	4	10/13/56	Richmond
62	Parker, Ervin	LB	6-5	240	3	8/19/58	S. Carolina State
	Parrish, Lamar	CB	5-10	170	13	12/13/47	Lincoln
89	Piccone, Lou	WR	5-9	175	9	1/17/49	West Liberty State
40	Riddick, Robb	RB	6-0	195	2	4/26/57	Millersville State, Pa.
51	Ritcher, Jim	G-C	6-3	251	3	5/21/58	N. Carolina State
58	Robertson, Isiah	LB	6-3	225	12	8/17/49	Southern
17	Robinson, Matt	QB	6-2	196	6	6/28/55	Georgia
26	Romes, Charles	CB	6-1	190	6	12/16/54	N. Carolina Central
57	Sanford, Lucius	LB	6-2	216	5	2/14/56	Georgia Tech
45	Simpson, Bill	S	6-1	191	8	12/5/51	Michigan State
76	Smerlas, Fred	NT	6-3	270	4	4/8/57	Boston College
41	Villapiano, Phil	LB	6-2	225	12	2/26/49	Bowling Green
65	Vogler, Tim	C	6-3	245	4	10/20/56	Ohio State
83	White, Sherman	DE	6-5	250	11	10/6/48	California
77	Williams, Ben	DE	6-3	245	7	9/1/54	Mississippi

BALTIMORE
COLTS

1982 SCHEDULE

Sept. 12—New England
Sept. 19—at Miami
Sept. 26—New York Jets
Oct. 3—at Detroit
Oct. 10—Buffalo
Oct. 17—at Cleveland
Oct. 24—Miami
Oct. 31—Tampa Bay
Nov. 7—at New England
Nov. 14—Oakland
Nov. 21—at New York Jets
Nov. 28—at Buffalo
Dec. 5—Cincinnati
Dec. 12—at Minnesota
Dec. 19—Green Bay
Dec. 26—at San Diego

1981 RESULTS

(2-14)

29	at New England	28
3	Buffalo	35
10	at Denver	28
28	Miami	31
17	at Buffalo	23
19	Cincinnati	41
14	San Diego	43
28	at Cleveland	42
10	at Miami	27
14	New York Jets	41
13	at Philadelphia	38
24	St. Louis	35
0	at New York Jets	25
13	Dallas	37
14	at Washington	38
23	New England	21
259		533

PACKER-COLT SERIES

Packers won 18, Colts won 16, Points — Colts 706, Packers 702

STAFF

Head Coach — Frank Kush. Assistants — Zeke Bratkowski, Bud Carson, Gunther Cunningham, Hal Hunter, Richard Mann, Roger Theder, Bob Valesente, Rick Venturi, Mike Westhoff. Home Field — Memorial Stadium, Capacity 60,714, Colors — Royal Blue, White. Address — P.O. Box 2000, Owings Mills, MD 21117.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Curtis Dickey 164 for 779 yds, 4.8 ave; Randy McMillen 149, 597, 4.0.
PASSING: Bert Jones 426 atts, 244 comp, 3094 yds, 21 TDs; David Humm 24, 7, 90, 0.
RECEIVING: Randy McMillen 50 for 466 yds, 9.3 ave; Ray Butler 46, 832, 18.1.
SCORING: Curtis Dickey 60 pts on 10 TDs; Mike Wood 58 on 29 PATs, 10 FGs.

THE VETERANS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Birth	College
26	Anderson, Kim	CB	5-11	182	3	7/19/57	Arizona State
63	Barnes, Mike	DT	6-6	251	10	12/24/50	Miami
47	Braziel, Larry	CB	6-0	184	4	9/25/54	Southern California
84	Burke, Randy	WR	6-2	198	5	5/26/55	Kentucky
80	Butler, Ray	WR	6-3	197	3	6/28/56	Southern California
81	Carr, Roger	WR	6-2	195	9	7/1/52	Louisiana Tech
87	DeRoo, Brian	WR	6-3	200	4	4/25/56	Redlands
27	Dickey, Curtis	RB	6-1	205	3	11/27/56	Texas A&M
31	Dixon, Zachary	RB	6-1	204	4	3/5/56	Temple
53	Donaldson, Ray	C	6-3	263	3	5/18/58	Georgia
50	Federspiel, Joe	LB	6-2	230	11	5/6/50	Kentucky
78	Foley, Tim	T	6-6	275	2	5/30/58	Notre Dame
66	Foote, Chris	C	6-3	247	3	12/2/56	Southern California
28	Franklin, Cleveland	FB	6-2	220	5	4/24/55	Baylor
72	Fultz, Mike	DT	6-5	278	6	1/28/54	Nebraska
9	Garrett, Mike	P	6-1	184	2	6/13/57	Georgia
25	Glasgow, Nesby	S	5-11	185	4	4/15/57	Washington
91	Green, Bubba	DT	6-4	278	2	9/30/57	North Carolina State
69	Griffin, Wade	T	6-5	278	6	8/7/54	Mississippi
68	Hart, Jeff	T	6-5	272	6	9/10/53	Oregon State
42	Hatchett, Derrick	CB	6-0	186	3	8/14/58	Texas
58	Heimkreiter, Steve	LB	6-2	226	2	6/9/57	Notre Dame
44	Henry, Steve	S	6-2	190	3	3/5/57	Emporia State
62	Huff, Ken	G	6-5	253	8	2/31/53	North Carolina
10	Humm, David	QB	6-2	190	8	4/2/52	Nebraska
51	Jones, Ricky	LB	6-2	222	6	3/9/55	Tuskegee
55	Krauss, Barry	LB	6-4	238	4	3/17/57	Alabama
40	Laird, Bruce	S	6-1	194	11	5/23/50	American International
11	Landry, Greg	QB	6-4	210	15	12/18/46	Massachusetts
86	McCall, Reese	TE	6-6	243	5	6/15/56	Auburn
23	McCauley, Don	RB	6-1	211	12	5/12/49	North Carolina
32	McMillan, Randy	FB	6-1	226	2	12/17/58	Pittsburgh
65	Moore, Jimmy	G	6-5	268	2	1/28/57	Ohio State
88	Orvis, Herb	DT	6-5	255	11	10/17/46	Colorado
71	Ozdowski, Mike	DE	6-5	243	5	9/24/55	Virginia
37	Pinkey, Reggie	S	6-0	187	6	5/27/55	East Carolina
61	Pratt, Robert	G	6-4	250	9	5/25/51	North Carolina
83	Sherwin, Tim	TE	6-5	239	2	5/4/58	Boston College
54	Shiver, Sanders	LB	6-2	230	7	2/14/55	Carson-Newman
85	Shula, Dave	WR	5-11	182	2	3/12/59	Dartmouth
	Simmons, Dave	LB	6-4	220	2	1/19/57	North Carolina
56	Simonini, Ed	LB	6-0	206	7	2/24/55	Texas A&M
39	Sims, Marvin	FB	6-4	324	3	5/18/57	Clemson
52	Smith, Ed	LB	6-3	216	3	5/18/57	Vanderbilt
90	Taylor Hosea	DE	6-5	250	2	12/3/58	Houston
99	Thompson, Donnell	DE	6-5	252	2	10/27/58	North Carolina
79	Van Divier, Randy	T	6-5	282	2	6/5/58	Washington
21	Williams, Kevin	RB-S	5-8	168	2	1/7/58	Southern California
16	Wood, Mike	K	5-11	199	4	9/3/54	S.E. Missouri State
59	Woods, Mike	LB	6-2	237	4	11/1/54	Cincinnati

ATLANTA
FALCONS

1982 SCHEDULE

Sept. 12—at New York Giants
Sept. 19—Oakland
Sept. 23—at Kansas City
Oct. 3—San Diego
Oct. 10—at Los Angeles
Oct. 17—at Detroit
Oct. 24—San Francisco
Oct. 31—at New Orleans
Nov. 7—at Chicago
Nov. 15—Philadelphia
Nov. 21—Los Angeles
Nov. 28—St. Louis
Dec. 5—at Denver
Dec. 12—New Orleans
Dec. 19—at San Francisco
Dec. 26—Green Bay

1981 RESULTS

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27	New Orleans	0
31	at Green Bay	17
34	San Francisco	17
17	at Cleveland	28
13	at Philadelphia	16
35	Los Angeles	37
41	St. Louis	20
24	New York Giants, (OT)	27
41	at New Orleans	10
14	at San Francisco	17
20	Pittsburgh	34
31	Minnesota	30
31	at Houston	27
23	at Tampa Bay	24
16	at Los Angeles	21
28	Cincinnati	30
426		355

PACKER-FALCON SERIES

Packers won 7, Falcons won 5, Points — Packers 275, Falcons 181

STAFF

Head Coach — Leeman Bennett. Assistants — Dick Wood, Jerry Glanville, Mike McDonnell, Wayne McDuffie, John North, Doug Shively, Jim Stanley, Jimmy Raye, Bill Walsh. Home Field — Atlanta Fulton County Stadium, Capacity 60,755, Colors — Red, Black, Silver, White. Address — Suwanee Road and I-85, Suwanee, GA 30174.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: William Andrews 289 for 1301 yds, 4.5 ave; Lynn Cain 156, 542, 3.5.
PASSING: Steve Bartkowski 533 atts, 297 comp, 3829 yds, 30 TDs; Mike Moroski 26, 12, 132, 0.
RECEIVING: William Andrews 81 for 735 yds, 9.1 ave; Alfred Jenkins 70, 1358, 19.4.
SCORING: Mike Luckhurst 114 pts on 61 PATs, 21 FGs; Alfred Jenkins 78 on 13 TDs.

THE VETERANS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Birth	College
31	Andrews, William	RB	6-0	200	4	12/25/55	Auburn
10	Bartkowski, Steve	QB	6-4	213	8	11/12/52	California
	Beeson, Terry	LB	6-3	235	6	9/19/55	Kansas
	Blount, Tony	S	6-1	195	2	11/5/58	Virginia
66	Bryant, Warren	T	6-6	270	6	11/11/55	Kentucky
23	Butler, Bobby	CB	5-11	170	2	5/28/59	Florida State
21	Cain, Lynn	RB	6-1	205	4	10/16/55	Southern California
50	Curry, Buddy	LB	6-3	221	3	6/4/58	North Carolina
59	Davis, Paul	LB	6-1	215	2	7/10/58	North Carolina
55	Daykin, Tony	LB	6-1	215	6	5/13/55	Georgia Tech
74	Faumuina, Wilson	DE	6-5	275	6	8/11/54	San Jose State
89	Francis, Wallace	WR	5-11	190	10	11/7/51	Arkansas-Pine Bluff
34	Gaison, Blane	S	6-0	185	2	5/13/58	Hawaii
36	Glazebrook, Bob	S	6-1	200	5	3/7/56	Fresno State
64	Howell, Pat	G	6-5	253	4	3/12/57	Southern California
85	Jackson, Alfred	WR	5-11	176	5	8/3/55	Texas
6	James, John	P	6-3	200	11	1/21/49	Florida
84	Jenkins, Alfred	WR	5-10	172	8	1/25/52	Morris Brown
37	Johnson, Kenny	CB	5-10	176	3	1/7/58	Mississippi State
20	Jones, Earl	CB	6-0	178	3	7/19/57	Norfolk State
14	Jones, June	QB	6-4	200	5	2/19/53	Portland State
78	Kenn, Mike	T	6-6	257	5	2/9/56	Michigan
54	Kuykendall, Fulton	LB	6-5	225	8	6/10/53	UCLA
51	Laughlin, Jim	LB	6-0	212	3	7/5/58	Ohio State
22	Lawrence, Rolland	CB	5-10	179	9	3/24/51	Tabor
18	Luckhurst, Mick	K	6-0	180	2	3/31/58	California
39	Mayberry, James	RB	5-11	210	4	11/5/57	Colorado
75	Merrow, Jeff	DE	6-4	255	8	7/11/53	West Virginia
87	Mikeska, Russ	TE	6-3	225	4	9/10/55	Texas A&M
80	Miller, Junior	TE	6-4	235	3	11/26/57	Nebraska
45	Moriarty, Tom	S	6-0	180	6	4/7/53	Bowling Green
15	Moroski, Mike	QB	6-4	200	4	9/4/57	California-Davis
96	Musser, Neal	LB	6-2	218	2	3/20/57	North Carolina State
27	Pridemore, Tom	S	5-10	186	5	4/29/56	West Virginia
56	Richardson, Al	LB	6-2	206	3	9/23/57	Georgia Tech
33	Robinson, Bo	RB	6-2	225	4	5/27/56	West Texas State
67	Sanders, Eric	T	6-6	255	2	10/22/58	Nevada-Reno
70	Scott, Dave	G	6-4	265	7	12/26/53	Kansas
61	Scully, John	C	6-5	255	2	8/2/58	Notre Dame
65	Smith, Don	DT	6-5	248	4	5/9/57	Miami
16	Smith, Reggie	WR	6-4	168	5	7/15/56	N. Carolina Central
25	Strong, Ray	RB	5-9	184	5	5/7/56	Nevada-Las Vegas
72	Teague, Matthew	DE	6-5	240	2	10/22/58	Prairie View
68	Thielemann, R. C.	G	6-4	247	6	8/12/55	Arkansas
57	Van Note, Jeff	C	6-2	247	14	2/7/46	Kentucky
52	White, Lyman	LB	6-0	217	2	1/3/59	Louisiana St. Univ.
58	Williams, Joel	LB	6-0	215	4	12/13/56	Wisconsin-LaCrosse
30	Woerner, Scott	S	6-0	195	2	12/18/58	Georgia
79	Yeates, Jeff	DE	6-3	248	11	8/3/51	Boston College
63	Zele, Mike	DT	6-3	236	4	7/3/56	Kent State

Cincinnati BENGALS

STAFF

Head Coach — Forrest Gregg. Assistants — Lindy Infante, George Sefcik, Dick Modzelewski, Hank Bullough, Dick LeBeau, Bruce Coslet, Jim McNally. Home Field — Riverfront Stadium. Capacity 59,754; Colors — Orange, Black, White; Address — 200 Riverfront Stadium, Cincinnati, OH 45202.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Pete Johnson 274 for 1077 yds, 3.9 ave; Charles Alexander 98, 292, 3.0.
PASSING: Ken Anderson 479 atts, 300 comp, 3754 yds, 29 TDs; Turk Schonert 19, 10, 166, 0.
RECEIVING: Dan Ross 71 for 910 yds, 12.8 ave; Cris Collinsworth 67, 1009, 15.1.
SCORING: Jim Breech 115 pts on 49 PATs, 22 FGs; Pete Johnson 114 on 16 TDs.

PACKER-BENGAL SERIES

Packers won 2, Bengals won 2; Points — Bengals 71, Packers 48.

Cleveland BROWNS

STAFF

Head Coach — Sam Rutigliano. Assistants — Dave Adolph, Jim Garrett, Dave Redding, Joe Scannella, Lenny Fontes, Paul Hackett, Rod Humenuik, Rick Kolste, John Petercuskie, Tom Pratt, Marty Schottenheimer; Home Field — Cleveland Stadium, Capacity 80,322; Colors — Seal Brown, Burnt Orange, White; Address — Cleveland Stadium, Tower B, Cleveland, OH 44114.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Mike Pruitt 247 for 1103 yds, 4.5 ave; Charles White 97, 342, 3.5.
PASSING: Brian Sipe 567 atts, 313 comp, 3876 yds, 17 TDs; Paul McDonald 57, 35, 463, 4.
RECEIVING: Ozzie Newsome 69 for 1002 yds, 14.5 ave; Greg Pruitt 65, 636, 9.8.
SCORING: Matt Bahr 79 pts on 34 PATs, 15 FGs; Mike Pruitt 48 on 8 TDs.

PACKER-BROWN SERIES

Packers won 7, Browns won 5; Points — Packers 287, Browns 248.

Dallas COWBOYS

STAFF

Head Coach — Tom Landry. Assistants — Ermal Allen, Neill Armstrong, Al Lavan, Alan Lowry, John Mackovic, Jim Myers, Dick Nolan, Gene Stallings, Ernie Stautner, Jerry Tubbs, Bob Ward; Home Field — Texas Stadium, Capacity 65,101; Colors — Royal Blue, Metallic Blue, White; Address — 6116 North Central Expressway, Dallas, TX 75206.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Tony Dorsett 342 for 1646 yds, 4.8 ave; Ron Springs 172, 625, 3.6.
PASSING: Danny White 391 atts, 223 comp, 3098 yds, 22 TDs; Glenn Carano 46, 16, 235, 1.
RECEIVING: Tony Hill 46 for 953 yds, 20.7 ave; Ron Springs 46, 359, 7.8; Drew Pearson 38, 614, 16.2.
SCORING: Rafael Septien 121 pts on 40 PATs, 27 FGs; Ron Springs 72 on 12 TDs.

PACKER-COWBOY SERIES

Packers won 8, Cowboys won 3; Points — Packers 241, Cowboys 208.

Denver BRONCOS

STAFF

Head Coach — Dan Reeves. Assistants — Joe Collier, Jerry Frei, Stan Jones, Rod Dowhower, Richie McCabe, Fran Polsfoot, Bob Zeman, Nick Nicolau, Marvin Bass; Home Field — Mile High Stadium, Capacity 75,123; Colors — Orange, Blue, White; Address — 5700 Logan Street, Denver, CO 80216.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Rick Parros 176 for 749 yds, 4.3 ave; Dave Preston 183, 640, 3.5.
PASSING: Craig Morton 376 atts, 225 comp, 3195 yds, 21 TDs; Steve DeBerg 108, 64, 797, 6.
RECEIVING: Steve Watson 60 for 1244 yds, 20.7 ave; Dave Preston 52, 507, 9.8.
SCORING: Fred Steinfort 87 pts on 36 PATs, 17 FGs; Steve Watson 78 on 13 TDs.

PACKER-BRONCO SERIES

Broncos won 2, Packers won 1; Points — Broncos 52, Packers 50.

Houston OILERS

STAFF

Head Coach — Ed Biles. Assistants — Andy Bourgeois, Ray Callahan, Bob Gambold, Kenny Houston, Bill Allerheiligen, Elijah Pitts, Dick Selcer, Jim Shofner, Ralph Staub; Home Field — Astrodome, Capacity 50,000; Colors — Scarlet, Columbia Blue, White; Address — P.O. Box 1516, Houston, TX 77001.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Earl Campbell 361 for 1376 yds, 3.8 ave; Adger Armstrong 31, 146, 4.7.
PASSING: Ken Stabler 285 atts, 165 comp, 1988 yds, 14 TDs; Gifford Nielsen 93, 60, 709, 5.
RECEIVING: Ken Burrough 40 for 668 yds, 16.7 ave; Mike Renfro 39, 451, 11.6.
SCORING: Toni Fritsch 77 pts on 32 PATs, 15 FGs; Earl Campbell 60 on 10 TDs.

PACKER-OILER SERIES

Oilers won 2, Packers won 1; Points — Oilers 48, Packers 36.

Kansas City CHIEFS

STAFF

Head Coach — Marv Levy. Assistants — Rod Rust, Walt Corey, Kay Dalton, J.D. Helm, Don Lawrence, Frank Gansz, Tom Bresnahan, Ted Cottrell, Ron Waller, Rick Abernethy; Home Field — Arrowhead Stadium, Capacity 78,097; Colors — Red, Gold; Address — One Arrowhead Drive, Kansas City, MO 64129.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Joe Delaney 234 for 1121 yds, 4.8 ave; James Hadnot 140, 603, 4.3.
PASSING: Bill Kenney 274 atts, 147 comp, 1983 yds, 9 TDs; Steve Fuller 134, 77, 934, 3.
RECEIVING: J.T. Smith 63 for 852 yds, 13.5 ave; Henry Marshall 38, 620, 16.3.
SCORING: Nick Lowery 115 pts on 37 PATs, 26 FGs; Billy Jackson 66 on 11 TDs.

PACKER-CHIEF SERIES

Packers won 1, Chiefs won 1; Points — Packers 55, Chiefs 40.

New England PATRIOTS

STAFF

Head Coach — Ron Meyer. Assistants — Tommy Brasher, Cleve Bryant, LeBaron Caruthers, Steve Endicott, Lew Erber, Jim More, Bill Muir, Dante Scarnecchia, Steve Sidwell, Steve Walters; Home Field — Schaefer Stadium, Capacity 61,297; Colors — Red, White, Blue; Address — Route 1, Foxboro, MA 02035.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Anthony Collins, 204 for 873 yds, 4.3 ave; Vagas Ferguson 78, 340, 4.4.
PASSING: Steve Grogan 216 atts, 117 comp, 1859 yds, 7 TDs; Matt Cavanaugh 219, 115, 1633, 5.
RECEIVING: Don Hasselback 46 for 808 yds, 17.6 ave; Stanley Morgan 44, 1029, 23.4.
SCORING: John Smith 82 pts on 37 PATs, 15 FGs; Anthony Collins 42 on 7 TDs.

PACKER-PATRIOT SERIES

Packers won 1, Patriots won 1; Points — Packers 51, Patriots 47.

Oakland RAIDERS

STAFF

Head Coach — Tom Flores. Assistants — Willie Brown, Chet Franklin, Ray Willsey, Earl Leggett, Steve Ortmayer, Sam Boghosian, Charlie Sumner, Bob Mischak, Tom Walsh; Home Field — Oakland-Alameda County Coliseum, Capacity 54,616; Colors — Silver, Black; Address — 7850 Edgewater, Drive, Oakland, CA 94621.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Kenny King 170 for 828 yds, 4.9 ave; Derrick Jensen 117, 456, 3.9.
PASSING: Marc Wilson 366 atts, 173 comp, 2311 yds, 14 TDs; Jim Plunkett 179, 94, 1045, 4.
RECEIVING: Derrick Ramsey 52 for 674 yds, 13.0 ave; Cliff Branch 41, 635, 15.5.
SCORING: Chris Bahr 69 pts on 27 PATs, 14 FGs; Bob Chandler, Derrick Jensen, Derrick Ramsey 24 each on 4 TDs.

PACKER-RAIDER SERIES

Raiders won 3, Packers won 1; Points — Raiders 80, Packers 64.

Pittsburgh STEELERS

STAFF

Head Coach — Chuck Noll. Assistants — Rollie Dotsch, Dick Hoak, Jon Kolb, Tom Moore, George Perles, Woody Widenhofer, Tony Dungy; Home Field — Three Rivers Stadium, Capacity 54,000; Colors — Black, and Gold; Address — 300 Stadium Circle, Pittsburgh, PA 15212.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Franco Harris 242 for 987 yds, 4.1 ave; Frank Pollard 123, 570, 4.6.
PASSING: Terry Bradshaw 370 atts, 201 comp, 2887 yds, 22 TDs; Mark Malone 88, 45, 553, 3.
RECEIVING: John Stallworth 63 for 1098 yds, 17.4 ave; Bennie Cunningham 41, 574, 14.0.
SCORING: David Trout 74 Pts on 38 PATs, 12 FGs; Franco Harris 54 on 9 TDs.

PACKER-STEELER SERIES

Packers won 16, Steelers won 9; Points — Packers 624, Steelers 415.

St. Louis CARDINALS

STAFF

Head Coach — Jim Hanifan. Assistants — Floyd Peters, Chuck Banker, Tom Bettis, Rudy Feldman, Harry Gilmer, Dick Jamieson, Leon McLaughlin, Don Brown, Tom Lovat, Emmitt Thomas; Home Field — Busch Memorial Stadium, Capacity 51,392; Colors — Red, White, Black; Address — 200 Stadium Plaza, St. Louis, MO 63102.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Ottis Anderson 328 For 1376 yds, 4.2 ave; Wayne Morris 109, 417, 3.8.
PASSING: Jim Hart 241 atts, 134 comp, 1694 yds, 11 TDs; Neil Lomax 236, 119, 1575, 4.
RECEIVING: Pat Tilley 66 for 1040 yds, 15.8 ave; Ottis Anderson 51, 387, 7.6.
SCORING: Neil O'Donoghue 93 pts on 36 PATs, 19 FGs; Ottis Anderson 54 on 9 TDs.

PACKER-CARDINAL SERIES

Packers won 36, Cardinals won 21, 4 tied; Points — Packers 993, Cardinals 743.

San Diego CHARGERS

STAFF

Head Coach — Don Coryell. Assistants — Larrye Weaver, Dave Levy, Tom Bass, Chuck Weber, Jim Wagstaff, Marv Braden, Ernie Zampese, Jerry Smith, Earnel Durden; Home Field — San Diego Jack Murphy Stadium, Capacity 52,675; Colors — Blue, Gold, White; Address — P.O. Box 20666, San Diego CA 92120.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Chuck Muncie 291 for 1144 yds, 4.6 ave; James Brooks 109, 525, 4.8.
PASSING: Dan Fouts 609 atts, 360 comp, 4802 yds, 33 TDs; Ed Luther 15, 7, 68, 0.
RECEIVING: Kellen Winslow 88 for 1075 yds, 12.2 ave; Charlie Joiner 70, 1244, 17.8.
SCORING: Chuck Muncie 114 on 19 TDs; Rolf Benirschke 112 on 55 PATs, 19 FGs.

PACKER-CHARGER SERIES

Packers won 3, Chargers won 0; Points — Packers 80, Chargers 23.

San Francisco 49ERS

STAFF

Head Coach — Bill Walsh. Assistants — Chuck Studley, Norb Hecker, Milt Jackson, Billie Matthews, Bobb McKittrick, Bill McPherson, Ray Rhodes, George Seifert, Sam Wyche; Home Field — Candlestick Park, Capacity 61,000; Colors — Red, Gold; Address — 711 Nevada Street, Redwood City, CA 94061.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Ricky Patton 152 for 543 yds, 3.6 ave; Earl Cooper 98, 330, 3.4.
PASSING: Joe Montana 488 atts, 311 comp, 3565 yds, 19 TDs; Guy Benjamin 26, 15, 171, 1.
RECEIVING: Dwight Clark 85 for 1105 yds, 13.0 ave; Freddie Solomon 59, 969, 16.4.
SCORING: Ray Wersching 81 pts on 30 PATs, 17 FGs; Freddie Solomon 48 on 8 TDs.

PACKER-49ER SERIES

49ers won 22, Packers won 20, 1 tied; Points — 49ers 880, Packers 829.

Seattle SEAHAWKS

STAFF

Head Coach — Jack Patera. Assistants — Howard Mudd, Jack Christiansen, Frank Lauterbur, Jackie Simpson, Andy MacDonald, Jerry Rhome, Rusty Tillman; Home Field — The Kingdome, Capacity 64,757; Colors — Blue, Green, Silver; Address — 5305 Lake Washington Blvd., Kirkland, WA 98033.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Theotis Brown 156 for 583 yds, 3.7 ave; Sherman Smith 83, 253, 3.0.
PASSING: Jim Zorn 397 atts, 236 comp, 2788 yds, 13 TDs; Dave Krieg 112, 64, 843, 7.
RECEIVING: Steve Largent 75 for 1224 yds, 16.3 ave; Sam McCullum 46, 567, 12.3.
SCORING: Steve Largent 60 pts on 10 TDs; Efren Herrera 59 on 23 PATs, 12 FGs.

PACKER-SEAHAWK SERIES

Packers won 3, Seahawks won 0; Points — Packers 106, Seahawks 72.

Washington REDSKINS

STAFF

Head Coach — Joe Gibbs. Assistants — Joe Bugel, Dan Henning, Don Breaux, Richie Petitbon, LaVern Torgeson, Larry Peccatiello, Wayne Sevier, Warren Simmons, Charley Taylor; Home Field — Robert F. Kennedy Stadium, Capacity 55,045; Colors — Burgundy, Gold; Address — 13832 Redskin Drive, Redskin Park, P.O. Box 17247, Washington, DC 20041.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: Joe Washington 210 for 916 yds, 4.4 ave; John Riggins 195, 714, 3.7.
PASSING: Joe Theismann 496 atts, 293 comp, 3568 yds, 19 TDs; Tom Flick 27, 13, 143, 0.
RECEIVING: Joe Washington 70 for 558 yds, 8.0 ave; Art Monk 56, 894, 16.0.
SCORING: Mark Moseley 95 pts on 38 PATs, 19 FGs; John Riggins 78 on 13 TDs.

PACKER-REDSKIN SERIES

Packers won 13, Redskins won 10, 1 tied; Points — Packers 411, Redskins 373.

New Orleans SAINTS

STAFF

Head Coach — O.A. (Bum) Phillips. Assistants — Andy Everest, Carl Mauck, King Hill, John Levra, Lamar McHan, Wade Phillips, Harold Richardson, Joe Spencer, Lance Van Zandt, John Paul Young; Willie Zapalac, Russell Paternostro; Home Field — Louisiana Superdome, Capacity 71,330; Colors — Old Gold, Black, White; Address — 944 St. Charles, New Orleans, LA 70120.

1981 LEADERS

RUSHING: George Rogers 378 for 1674 yds, 4.4 ave; Jack Holmes 58, 194, 3.3.
PASSING: Archie Manning 232 atts, 134 comp, 1447 yds, 5 TDs; Dave Wilson 159, 82, 1058, 1.
RECEIVING: Jack Holmes 38 for 206 yds, 5.4 ave; Wayne Wilson 31, 364, 12.4.
SCORING: George Rogers 78 pts on 13 TDs; Benny Ricardo 63 on 24 PATs, 13 FGs.

PACKER-SAINT SERIES

Packers won 8, Saints won 2; Points — Packers 276, Saints 176.

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FIRST WEEK

My Picks | Game and Final Score

SUNDAY, SEPT. 12

- Atlanta at New York Giants
- Chicago at Detroit
- Cleveland at Seattle
- Houston at Cincinnati
- Kansas City at Buffalo
- Los Angeles vs. Green Bay at Milw.
- Miami at New York Jets
- New England at Baltimore
- Oakland at San Francisco
- St. Louis at New Orleans
- San Diego at Denver
- Tampa Bay at Minnesota
- Washington at Philadelphia

MONDAY, SEPT. 13

- Pittsburgh at Dallas

SECOND WEEK

My Picks | Game and Final Score

THURSDAY, SEPT. 16

- Minnesota at Buffalo

SUNDAY, SEPT. 19

- Baltimore at Miami
- Cincinnati at Pittsburgh
- Dallas at St. Louis
- Detroit at Los Angeles
- New Orleans at Chicago
- New York Jets at New England
- Oakland at Atlanta
- Philadelphia at Cleveland
- San Diego at Kansas City
- San Francisco at Denver
- Seattle at Houston
- Washington at Tampa Bay

MONDAY, SEPT. 20

- Green Bay at New York Giants

THIRD WEEK

My Picks | Game and Final Score

THURSDAY, SEPT. 23

- Atlanta at Kansas City

SUNDAY, SEPT. 26

- Buffalo at Houston
- Chicago at San Francisco
- Dallas at Minnesota
- Denver at New Orleans
- Los Angeles at Philadelphia
- Miami at Green Bay
- New York Giants at Pittsburgh
- New York Jets at Baltimore
- Oakland at San Diego
- St. Louis at Washington
- Seattle at New England
- Tampa Bay at Detroit

MONDAY, SEPT. 27

- Cincinnati at Cleveland

FOURTH WEEK

My Picks | Game and Final Score

SUNDAY, OCT. 3

- Baltimore at Detroit
- Cleveland at Washington
- Houston at New York Jets
- Kansas City at Seattle
- Los Angeles at St. Louis
- Miami at Cincinnati
- Minnesota at Chicago
- New England at Buffalo
- New Orleans at Oakland
- New York Giants at Dallas
- Philadelphia vs. Green Bay at Milw.
- Pittsburgh at Denver
- San Diego at Atlanta

MONDAY, OCT. 4

- San Francisco at Tampa Bay

FIFTH WEEK

My Picks | Game and Final Score

SUNDAY, OCT. 10

- Atlanta at Los Angeles
- Buffalo at Baltimore
- Cincinnati at New England
- Cleveland at Oakland
- Denver at New York Jets
- Detroit at Miami
- Green Bay at Chicago
- Houston at Kansas City
- Minnesota at Tampa Bay
- St. Louis at New York Giants
- San Francisco at New Orleans
- Seattle at San Diego
- Washington at Dallas

MONDAY, OCT. 11

- Philadelphia at Pittsburgh

SIXTH WEEK

My Picks | Game and Final Score

SUNDAY, OCT. 17

- Atlanta at Detroit
- Baltimore at Cleveland
- Chicago at St. Louis
- Cincinnati at New York Giants
- Dallas at Philadelphia
- Denver at Houston
- Kansas City at San Diego
- Los Angeles at San Francisco
- New England at Miami
- New Orleans at Minnesota
- Oakland at Seattle
- Pittsburgh at Washington
- Tampa Bay at Green Bay

MONDAY, OCT. 18

- Buffalo at New York Jets

SEVENTH WEEK

My Picks | Game and Final Score

SUNDAY, OCT. 24

- Cleveland at Pittsburgh
- Dallas at Cincinnati
- Detroit at Buffalo
- Green Bay at Minnesota
- Miami at Baltimore
- New Orleans at Los Angeles
- New York Jets at Kansas City
- Oakland at Denver
- St. Louis at New England
- San Diego at Seattle
- San Francisco at Atlanta
- Tampa Bay at Chicago
- Washington at Houston

MONDAY, OCT. 25

- New York Giants at Philadelphia

EIGHTH WEEK

My Picks | Game and Final Score

SUNDAY, OCT. 31

- Atlanta at New Orleans
- Buffalo at Denver
- Chicago at Green Bay
- Dallas at New York Giants
- Houston at Cleveland
- Los Angeles at San Diego
- Miami at Oakland
- New England at New York Jets
- Philadelphia at St. Louis
- Pittsburgh at Cincinnati
- San Francisco at Washington
- Seattle at Kansas City
- Tampa Bay at Baltimore

MONDAY, NOV. 1

- Detroit at Minnesota

POSTSEASON: Sunday, Jan. 2—NFC and AFC Wild Card Playoffs (CBS and NBC); Saturday, Jan. 8—NFC and AFC
Jan. 16—NFC Championship Game (CBS) and AFC Championship Game (NBC); Sunday, Jan. 30—Super Bowl XVI

Football League 1982 Schedule

NINTH WEEK

My Picks | Game and Final Score

SUNDAY, NOV. 7

- ☐ ☐ Atlanta_____at Chicago_____
- ☐ ☐ Baltimore_____at New England_____
- ☐ ☐ Denver_____at Seattle_____
- ☐ ☐ Detroit_____at Philadelphia_____
- ☐ ☐ Green Bay_____at Tampa Bay_____
- ☐ ☐ Houston_____at Pittsburgh_____
- ☐ ☐ Kansas City_____at Oakland_____
- ☐ ☐ Los Angeles_____at New Orleans_____
- ☐ ☐ Minnesota_____at San Francisco_____
- ☐ ☐ New York Giants_____at Cleveland_____
- ☐ ☐ New York Jets_____at Buffalo_____
- ☐ ☐ St. Louis_____at Dallas_____
- ☐ ☐ Washington_____at Cincinnati_____

MONDAY, NOV. 8

- ☐ ☐ San Diego_____at Miami_____

TENTH WEEK

My Picks | Game and Final Score

SUNDAY, NOV. 14

- ☐ ☐ Buffalo_____at New England_____
- ☐ ☐ Chicago_____at Tampa Bay_____
- ☐ ☐ Cincinnati_____at Houston_____
- ☐ ☐ Cleveland_____at Miami_____
- ☐ ☐ Dallas_____at San Francisco_____
- ☐ ☐ Denver_____at Kansas City_____
- ☐ ☐ Green Bay_____at Detroit_____
- ☐ ☐ Minnesota_____at Washington_____
- ☐ ☐ New Orleans_____at San Diego_____
- ☐ ☐ New York Giants_____at Los Angeles_____
- ☐ ☐ New York Jets_____Pittsburgh_____
- ☐ ☐ Oakland_____at Baltimore_____
- ☐ ☐ Seattle_____at St. Louis_____

MONDAY, NOV. 15

- ☐ ☐ Philadelphia_____at Atlanta_____

ELEVENTH WEEK

My Picks | Game and Final Score

SUNDAY, NOV. 21

- ☐ ☐ Baltimore_____at New York Jets_____
- ☐ ☐ Cincinnati_____at Philadelphia_____
- ☐ ☐ Detroit_____at Chicago_____
- ☐ ☐ Kansas City_____at New Orleans_____
- ☐ ☐ Los Angeles_____at Atlanta_____
- ☐ ☐ Miami_____at Buffalo_____
- ☐ ☐ Minnesota_____vs. Green Bay at Milw_____
- ☐ ☐ New England_____at Cleveland_____
- ☐ ☐ Pittsburgh_____at Houston_____
- ☐ ☐ San Francisco_____at St. Louis_____
- ☐ ☐ Seattle_____at Denver_____
- ☐ ☐ Tampa Bay_____at Dallas_____
- ☐ ☐ Washington_____at New York Giants_____

MONDAY, NOV. 22

- ☐ ☐ San Diego_____at Oakland_____

TWELFTH WEEK

My Picks | Game and Final Score

THURSDAY, NOV. 25

- ☐ ☐ Cleveland_____at Dallas_____
- ☐ ☐ New York Giants_____at Detroit_____

SUNDAY, NOV. 28

- ☐ ☐ Baltimore_____at Buffalo_____
- ☐ ☐ Chicago_____at Minnesota_____
- ☐ ☐ Denver_____at San Diego_____
- ☐ ☐ Green Bay_____at New York Jets_____
- ☐ ☐ Houston_____at New England_____
- ☐ ☐ Kansas City_____at Los Angeles_____
- ☐ ☐ New Orleans_____at San Francisco_____
- ☐ ☐ Oakland_____at Cincinnati_____
- ☐ ☐ Philadelphia_____at Washington_____
- ☐ ☐ Pittsburgh_____at Seattle_____
- ☐ ☐ St. Louis_____at Atlanta_____

MONDAY, NOV. 29

- ☐ ☐ Miami_____at Tampa Bay_____

THIRTEENTH WEEK

My Picks | Game and Final Score

THURSDAY, DEC. 2

- ☐ ☐ San Francisco_____at Los Angeles_____

SUNDAY, DEC. 5

- ☐ ☐ Atlanta_____at Denver_____
- ☐ ☐ Buffalo_____vs. Green Bay at Milw_____
- ☐ ☐ Cincinnati_____at Baltimore_____
- ☐ ☐ Dallas_____at Washington_____
- ☐ ☐ Houston_____at New York Giants_____
- ☐ ☐ Kansas City_____at Pittsburgh_____
- ☐ ☐ Minnesota_____at Miami_____
- ☐ ☐ New England_____at Chicago_____
- ☐ ☐ St. Louis_____at Philadelphia_____
- ☐ ☐ San Diego_____at Cleveland_____
- ☐ ☐ Seattle_____at Oakland_____
- ☐ ☐ Tampa Bay_____at New Orleans_____

MONDAY, DEC. 6

- ☐ ☐ New York Jets_____at Detroit_____

FOURTEENTH WEEK

My Picks | Game and Final Score

SATURDAY, DEC. 11

- ☐ ☐ Philadelphia_____at New York Giants_____
- ☐ ☐ San Diego_____at San Francisco_____

SUNDAY, DEC. 12

- ☐ ☐ Baltimore_____at Minnesota_____
- ☐ ☐ Chicago_____at Seattle_____
- ☐ ☐ Cleveland_____at Cincinnati_____
- ☐ ☐ Denver_____at Los Angeles_____
- ☐ ☐ Detroit_____at Green Bay_____
- ☐ ☐ Miami_____at New England_____
- ☐ ☐ New Orleans_____at Atlanta_____
- ☐ ☐ Oakland_____at Kansas City_____
- ☐ ☐ Pittsburgh_____at Buffalo_____
- ☐ ☐ Tampa Bay_____at New York Jets_____
- ☐ ☐ Washington_____at St. Louis_____

MONDAY, DEC. 13

- ☐ ☐ Dallas_____at Houston_____

FIFTEENTH WEEK

My Picks | Game and Final Score

SATURDAY, DEC. 18

- ☐ ☐ Los Angeles_____at Oakland_____
- ☐ ☐ New York Jets_____at Miami_____

SUNDAY, DEC. 19

- ☐ ☐ Atlanta_____at San Francisco_____
- ☐ ☐ Buffalo_____at Tampa Bay_____
- ☐ ☐ Green Bay_____at Baltimore_____
- ☐ ☐ Houston_____at Philadelphia_____
- ☐ ☐ Kansas City_____at Denver_____
- ☐ ☐ Minnesota_____at Detroit_____
- ☐ ☐ New England_____at Seattle_____
- ☐ ☐ New Orleans_____at Dallas_____
- ☐ ☐ New York Giants_____at Washington_____
- ☐ ☐ Pittsburgh_____at Cleveland_____
- ☐ ☐ St. Louis_____at Chicago_____

MONDAY, DEC. 20

- ☐ ☐ Cincinnati_____at San Diego_____

SIXTEENTH WEEK

My Picks | Game and Final Score

SUNDAY, DEC. 26

- ☐ ☐ Baltimore_____at San Diego_____
- ☐ ☐ Chicago_____at Los Angeles_____
- ☐ ☐ Cleveland_____at Houston_____
- ☐ ☐ Denver_____at Oakland_____
- ☐ ☐ Detroit_____at Tampa Bay_____
- ☐ ☐ Green Bay_____at Atlanta_____
- ☐ ☐ New England_____at Pittsburgh_____
- ☐ ☐ New York Giants_____at St. Louis_____
- ☐ ☐ New York Jets_____at Minnesota_____
- ☐ ☐ Philadelphia_____at Dallas_____
- ☐ ☐ San Francisco_____at Kansas City_____
- ☐ ☐ Seattle_____at Cincinnati_____
- ☐ ☐ Washington_____at New Orleans_____

MONDAY, DEC. 27

- ☐ ☐ Buffalo_____at Miami_____

Divisional Playoffs (CBS and NBC); Sunday, Jan. 9—NFC and AFC Divisional Playoffs (CBS and NBC); Sunday, at Rose Bowl, Pasadena, Calif. (NBC); Sunday, Feb. 6—Pro Bowl at Honolulu, Hawaii (ABC).

League Openers

The Packers' first extra point attempt of 1981 was weird. Holder Ray Stachowicz (16) picked up a bad snap and passed to blocker Rich Wingo (50) for the point in the opener vs. the Bears in Chicago. Kicker Jan Stenerud is in background.

Traditionally, the Packers are tough in their league openers.

They have performed at a .614 winning percentage in their 61 openers starting away back in 1921 when the National Football League launched operations.

Compare that with the Packers' all-time league won-lost percentage of .564 and you can see that opening day games agree with the Pack.

The Packers have won 36 openers, lost 22 and tied 3. Curly Lambeau, the Packers' founder and first coach, produced an amazing .758 success percentage in his league openers, winning 22, losing only 6 and tying 2. Only two coaches had losing records—Ray McLean (1958) 0-1 and Gene Ronzani (1950-53) 0-4. Phil Bengtson (1968-70) was 2-1 and Dan Devine (1971-74) and Liz Blackbourn (1954-57) were both 2-2.

Despite his amazing victory and championship record in the 1960s, Vince Lombardi was 5-3-1 in league starters during his nine years, 1959-67, for a percentage of .611.

And, conversely, Coach Bart Starr, despite rugged going in his rebuilding program, has won four of his seven league starts for a .571 percentage. Three of those wins were on the road—at New Orleans in 1977, Detroit in '78 and Chicago in 1981. His other victory was an overtimer against the Bears in Green Bay in 1980.

While winning the opener is the proper and best way to start a season, it doesn't make or break a season. The 1981 49ers, for instance, lost their opener—not to mention 2 of their first 3 games. Yet, they won the Super Bowl. Their victim, Cincinnati's Bengals, won their opener.

After opening three straight years vs. the Bears, the Packers get somebody new in 1982—the Los Angeles Rams, and the starter will be a first for both teams. The Packers have their work cut out since the Rams have a five-game winning skein going against Green Bay. It started in 1975, Starr's first season as head coach.

The Packer Schedule

(All Wisconsin Times)

PRE-SEASON

Sat., Aug. 14—Jets at Green Bay, 7:00.
Fri., Aug. 20—Bengals at Milwaukee, 7:30.
Sat., Aug. 28—Raiders at Oakland, 8:00.
Sat., Sept. 4—Patriots at Foxboro, 12:00.

LEAGUE

Sun., Sept. 12—Rams at Milwaukee, 12:00.
Mon., Sept. 20—Giants at E. Rutherford, 8:00.
Sun., Sept. 26—Dolphins at Green Bay, 12:00.
Sun., Oct. 3—Eagles at Milwaukee, 12:00.
Sun., Oct. 10—Bears at Chicago, 12:00.
Sun., Oct. 17—Buccaneers at Green Bay, 12:00.
Sun., Oct. 24—Vikings at Minnesota, 12:00.
Sun., Oct. 31—Bears at Green Bay, 12:00.
Sun., Nov. 7—Buccaneers at Tampa, 12:00.
Sun., Nov. 14—Lions at Pontiac, 12:00.
Sun., Nov. 21—Vikings at Milwaukee, 12:00.
Sun., Nov. 28—Jets at New York, 12:00.
Sun., Dec. 5—Bills at Milwaukee, 12:00.
Sun., Dec. 12—Lions at Green Bay, 12:00.
Sun., Dec. 19—Colts at Baltimore, 1:00.
Sun., Dec. 26—Falcons at Atlanta, 12:00.

The All-Pros

1981 ALL-NFL TEAM

OFFENSE: WR—James Lofton, Packers; Steve Watson, Broncos; TE—Kellen Winslow, Chargers; T—Anthony Munoz, Bengals; Marvin Powell, Jets; G—John Hannah, Patriots; Randy Cross, 49ers; C—Mike Webster, Steelers; QB—Ken Anderson, Bengals; RB—Tony Dorsett, Cowboys; Billy Sims, Lions.

DEFENSE: E—Joe Klecko, Jets; Fred Dean, 49ers; T—Randy White, Cowboys; Doug English, Lions; NT—Fred Smerlas, Bills; LB—Jack Lambert, Steelers; Randy Gradishar, Broncos; Mike Douglass, Packers; Lawrence Taylor, Giants; CB—Ronnie Lott, 49ers; Mark Haynes, Giants; S—Nolan Cromwell, Rams; Dwight Hicks, 49ers.

SPECIALISTS: K—Jan Stenerud, Packers; P—Tom Skladany, Lions.

1981 ALL-NFC TEAM

OFFENSE: WR—James Lofton, Packers; Alfred Jenkins, Falcons; TE—Joe Senser, Vikings; T—Mike Kenn, Falcons; Pat Donovan, Cowboys; G—Randy Cross, 49ers; Herbert Scott, Cowboys; C—Larry McCarren, Packers; QB—Joe Montana, 49ers; RB—Tony Dorsett, Cowboys; Billy Sims, Lions.

DEFENSE: E—Fred Dean, 49ers; Ed Jones, Cowboys; T—Randy White, Cowboys; Doug English, Lions; NT—Charlie Johnson, Eagles; LB—Mike Douglass, Packers; Lawrence Taylor, Giants; Matt Blair, Vikings; Jerry Robinson, Eagles; CB—Ronnie Lott, 49ers; Mark Haynes, Giants; S—Nolan Cromwell, Rams; Dwight Hicks, 49ers.

SPECIALISTS: K—Jan Stenerud, Packers; P—Tom Skladany, Lions.

1981 ALL-AFC TEAM

OFFENSE: WR—Steve Watson, Broncos; Frank Lewis, Bills; TE—Kellen Winslow, Chargers; T—Anthony Munoz, Bengals; Marvin Powell, Jets; G—John Hannah, Patriots; Doug Wilkerson, Chargers; C—Mike Webster, Steelers; QB—Ken Anderson, Bengals; RB—Chuck Muncie, Chargers; Joe Delaney, Chiefs.

DEFENSE: E—Joe Klecko, Jets; Mark Gastineau, Jets; T—Bob Baumhower, Dolphins; Gary Johnson, Chargers; NT—Fred Smerlas, Bills; LB—Jack Lambert, Steelers; Randy Gradishar, Broncos; Ted Hendricks, Raiders; Bob Swenson, Broncos; CB—Gary Green, Chiefs; Mel Blount, Steelers; S—Gary Barbaro, Chiefs; Darrol Ray, Jets.

SPECIALISTS: K—Nick Lowery, Chiefs; P—Pat McInally, Bengals.

1981 ALL-ROOKIE TEAM

OFFENSE: WR—Cris Collinsworth, Bengals; Ken Margerum, Bears; TE—Eric Sievers, Chargers; T—Keith Van Horne, Bears; Brian Holloway, Patriots; G—Curt Marsh, Raiders; Bill Ard, Giants; C—Jay Hilgenberg, Bears; QB—Neil Lomax, Cardinals; RB—George Rogers, Saints; Joe Delaney, Chiefs.

DEFENSE: E—Donnell Thompson, Colts; Curtis Green, Lions; T—Bubba Green, Colts; Johnny Robinson, Raiders; NT—Bill Neill, Giants; LB—Lawrence Taylor, Giants; Hugh Green, Buccaneers; Mike Singletary, Bears; E.J. Junior, Cardinals; CB—Ronnie Lott, 49ers; Everson Walls, Cowboys; S—Ken Easley, Seahawks; Carlton Williamson, 49ers.

SPECIALISTS: K—Mike Luckhurst, Falcons; P—Tom Orosz, Dolphins.

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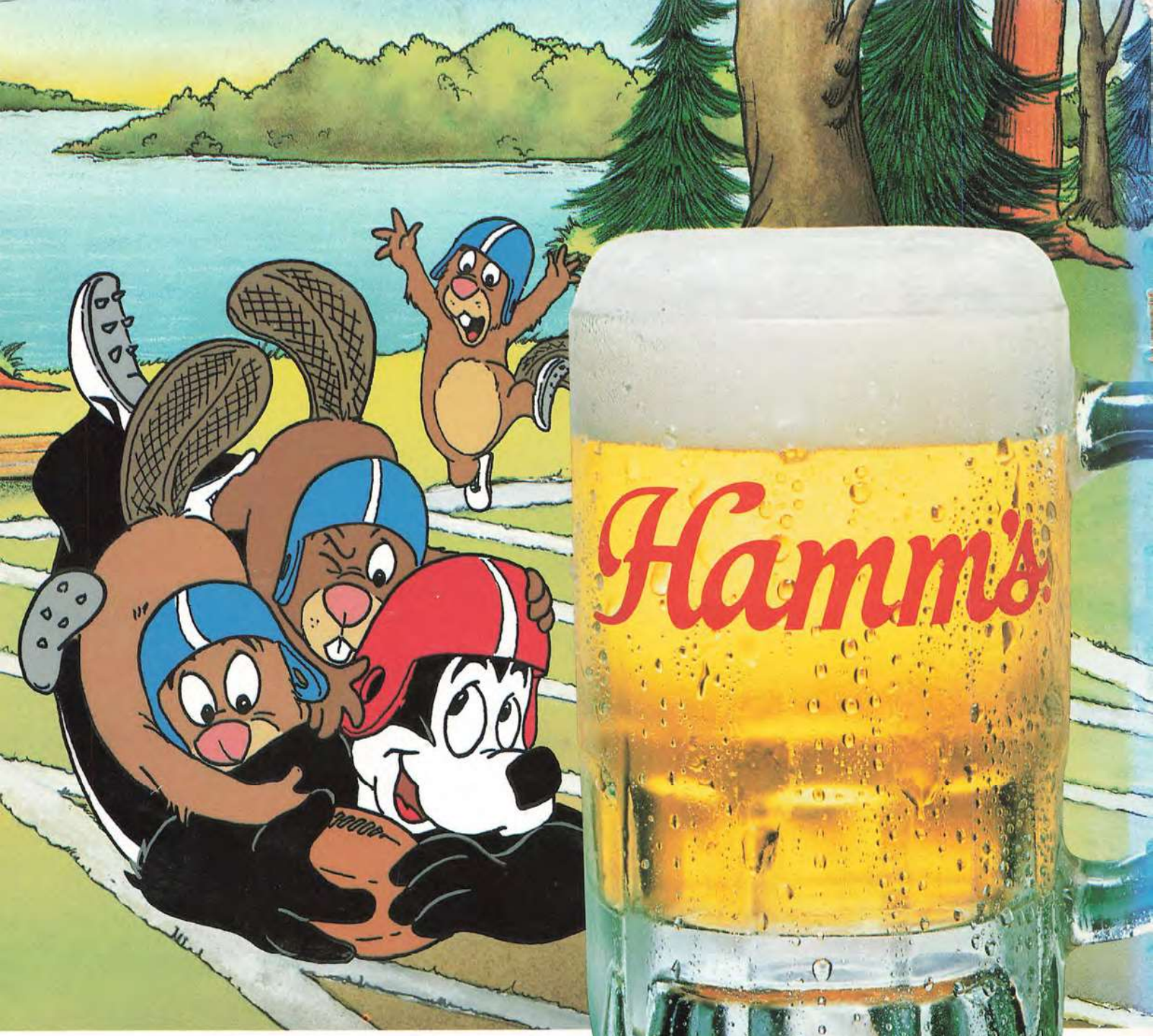

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